

Santa Visits 560 Games Families By Salvation Army & Migrant Committee

Behind The Manger Stood A Cross!

St. Peter's Lutheran Church
Pastor

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God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him, should not perish, but have everlasting life.

"Berlin Wall dampens the Christmas spirit of divided Germany." "Saigon soldier sits down to another sleepless night." "Pilgrims flock to Bethlehem under ominous clouds of war."

These, and countless similar headlines, tend to have a sobering effect on the world as it prepares for a joyous celebration of another Christmas. As people pause between their frantic, yet joyous Yuletide preparations, they offer a silent prayer to the Prince of Peace for "peace on earth, good will among men." Yet, even in their hearts, they know that the dove of peace will probably be once more frightened away by the fury of enmity.

For as long as the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse ride the winds of evil, the Star of Hope will be eclipsed by the meteorite of anger.

People know this, because all Christians are aware that the world has been darkened by despair and hate. Last Christmas, the world was still shell-shocked by an assassin's bullet. The Christmas before, it was the Cuban Crisis. Twenty years ago, Christmas joy was blasted by the Battle of Bastogne. Before that — Pearl Harbor.

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Plans are also in the making for a Goodwill Industrial Division to be located in Palm Beach County. This will be an Industrial Factory where handicapped people from this area will be employed.

In an effort to help the community better understand the work of Goodwill with the handicapped, Mr. Hinds is available to speak before Civic Clubs, church groups, Business and Professional groups or private groups. He may be contacted by writing P. O. Box 227, West Palm Beach, Florida, 33402 or Phone 333-3333, West Palm Beach, Florida.

first joyous Christmas had its moment of sobriety, for those in the know, knew that in the shadow of the manger stood a cross.

As the Virgin pondered the amazing events in her heart, she knew that "her" child was set for the Fall and Rising a gain of many in Israel, and for a sign which should be spoken again. The Prophet Simon was to tell her that "a sword would pierce through her own soul." As Joseph, the legal father, looked at the infant Jesus, he knew that on those tiny shoulders lay the fate and future of all mankind. God, the Heavenly Father, also must have grieved at the lowly circumstances in which His only begotten Son was born into the world. In His all-knowing mind, He also knew the "Cross that stood in the shadow of the Manger."

Yet, in His infinite wisdom, God knew that this must be in order for His people to be saved from sin, death and damnation, for righteousness, life and salvation.

Knowledge of these impending, inevitable, future events did indeed have a sobering effect on the principals at that first Christmas. Yet, their joy was not diminished by this knowledge, but was rather increased. For they knew, that for the Manger to have any real meaning the cross had to be in the background. The Cross was the only way the New-born Saviour could save captive mankind. The Manger had to yield its claim to the Cross.

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City And County Offices To Close

Thursday Noon

Mrs. Mae C. Pope, manager of the Glades Office Building, announces that all persons wishing to obtain marriage licenses, if they plan to be married over the weekend, should do so before Thursday noon, as the office, along with all other city and county offices will close at noon Thursday, December 24, and will re-open for official business, Monday morning, December 28.

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Students Home From College

It's Holiday time for the college crowd and students have been coming in all this week to be home with their friends and families.

Here is a not-complete list from in-state and out of state. UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA: Patsy Dooley, Sally Ann Boland, Craig Booth, Robert Cline, Mike Berryhill, John Whittemore, Stewart Boots, Dick Wilk, Alvin Schleicher, Barbara Wolf, John Causey, Skipper Schoepel, Neil Walker.

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY: Karen Gove, Frank Matthews, Frank Ball, Kay Gilbert, Hub Spooner, Helen Zywicki, Marvin Glathe, Joan Fortenberry, Gloria Smith, Roger Fields.

FLORIDA SOUTHERN COLLEGE: Wade Collins. UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA: Marie Townsend.

FLORIDA A&M COLLEGE: Sharon Motes. FLORIDA COLLEGE, Tampa: Ron Halbrook and John Sheahan.

TROY STATE COLLEGE: Troy, Alabama, Pam Ingram. Maryanne Collins, Dwight Ward, Tommy Bass.

VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY: Corky McGee. UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI: Linda Rubin.

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Mayor Henry Elfers of South Bay, acting for the citizens of the Community, is presenting to Major John Bivins, retired, of the Salvation Army, a Christmas Tree a crate of Glades corn and other vegetables.

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Winners Of Xmas Lighting Contest

Winners in the lighting and decorating contest are announced by the sponsors, Belle Glade Garden Club and Garden Study Club.

RESIDENTIAL

I. Best Decorated Window. 1. Mrs. Harold Brunson, 808 N. E. First St.

II. Best Decorated Driveway. 1. Mrs. Harold Gilbert, 257 Royal Palm Way.

2. Mrs. Billy Rae Evans, 501 N. E. First St.

III. Best Decorated Tree Inside. 1. Mrs. Ben Painter, 983 S. E. 3rd St.

IV. Best Decorated Tree Outside. 1. Mrs. Gene Jackson, 749 S. E. 2nd St.

V. Best Overall Decoration. 1. Mrs. Lydia Allen, 800 N. W. 4th St.

2. Mrs. Ronald Van Camp, 633 S. E. Third St.

VI. Best Religious Decoration. 1. William A. Greer, 661 S. W. 4th St.

2. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hill, 601 S. W. 13th St.

Judges for the homes were from South Bay: Mrs. Dick Miller, Mrs. H. C. Willis and

Elks New Years Dance Dec. 31

The Elks Club of Belle Glade is staging the annual New Year's Eve Dance on Thursday, Dec. 31 from 10 p. m. to 2 a. m. at the Belle Glade Armory.

Members and guests are cordially invited to come out and dance the old year out and the new one in to the music of the band.

Proceeds are for the benefit of Harry Anna Crippled Children's Hospital, one of the projects of the club.

For reservations call 996-0097 or 996-2642.

Business Houses

I. Best Decorated Window. 1. Ina's Beauty Shop, 209 S. W. Ave. A.

2. Home Hardware Store, 241 S. Main St.

3. Sullivan Pharmacy, 189 S. W. Ave. A.

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2. Alene's Gift Shop, 309 W. Ave. A.

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City Golf Course Opens For Play

Manager Roy Kimberly will be ready for play and play will be allowed on January 1.

An attempt to allow play this past week demonstrated that the condition of the greens made that inadvisable.

All those judged were signed up with the Chamber of Commerce.

Price. The Committee also has an inventory of clothing on hand, and it is shared — its detailed generosity during the present season.

"PEOPLE make Christmas — the children, young people and old people. To each one and to each age group, Christmas may be different. Christmas is joyful because it is shared — happiness is contagious.

"Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Man." is something which is very real, something which, for a while exists at Christmas in America.

Our Police Benevolent Association, the Firemen, the Boy Scouts, the Business and Professional Women, Southern Bell Employees, the Lions Club, Rotary, Civitan, The Elks, Legion, the Junior and Senior Chambers of Commerce and many other organizations and individuals join at this time of year to help the families and individuals have food, clothing and the kids have toys. No family in the Glades that has allowed anyone to know their plight, but will be cared for at Christmas — and all through the year.

The Salvation Army has, for years, attended the needs of the unfortunate in the Glades, with special emphasis on Christmas. Plans for the next Christmas are already effective. If you have toys of any sort around the house after the Holidays, the Army will take them, repair and rework them for the use of some needy child.

Clothes are received and inventoried for all ages and sizes by the Glade Migrant Committee, and are distributed as needed.

Mrs. Katherine Price has for the past several years been in charge of which this activity has functioned, and she will be glad to have whatever usable clothing you might have.

Mrs. Violet Eising at the Chamber of Commerce will be glad to accept donations for any cash donation intended for the migrants or other needy families.

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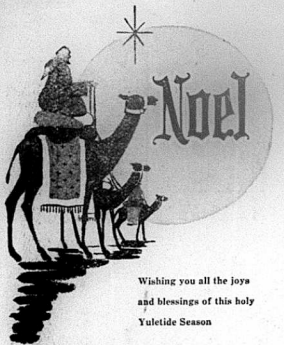




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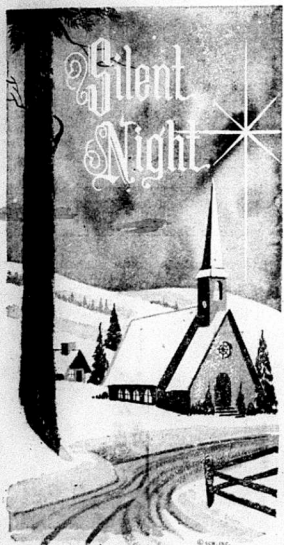
No words express more sincerely at this time of year what is in our hearts for our many friends — than the good old fashioned "Merry, Merry Christmas!"

Richmond Plumbing Company



Wishing you all the joys and blessings of this holy Yuletide Season

Grabers Sinclair Service



MAY THE TRUE MEANING OF CHRISTMAS LIFT THE HEARTS OF ALL MEN. WE THANK OUR LOYAL CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS... HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL!



"Growing Pains" Of Fire Department



Firemen, regulars, L to R: Chief Cecil Balz, C. W. (Boso) Greer, George Bearden, Raymond C. Trammell, Ethan A. Camper, Leon Webster, Wayne Bair and Floyd J. Smith.



In the Picture from right to left, The Pirsch, a '48 Chevrolet, a '56 Ford and a '60 Station Wagon. The old '47 Dodge, wheezes along when called on for light duty, and is not shown here.

Belle Glade's Fire Department, from a lowly beginning with a 1913 model LaFrance pumper, and 2000 feet of 2 1/2 inch hose purchased in 1931 on credit has grown to a unit with eight full-time firemen and a Chief.

There are now volunteer firemen who are active in weekly drills and in answering alarms. Allen Greer, as Head Driver, had as assistants, L. E. Will, Harold Riedel and George Teller, all unpaid volunteers.

In '32 the Town agreed to pay \$15 toward expenses to send two volunteers to Fire College; in '33 the City agreed to pay \$10.00 per month to the fire department for whatever squandering they might wish.

Watch Nite Service At S. Bay Baptist

The First Baptist Church of South Bay to have "Watch Night" services beginning at 9:00 P. M. on New Years Eve until 12:05 A. M.

A foreign Mission Film "Recruits for Christ" a story of a young newspaper man sent to Korea on an assignment returns with accounts of mission needs. A film "He That Wineth" will also be shown during the evening which will be composed for recreation, fellowship and worship from 11:30 till 12:05.

The pastor of the church invites all to this special program for seeing the year 1964 go out and 1965 come in. Let's ring out the old and ring in the New with Jesus Christ this New Years Eve!

In '38 the City became generous and agreed to pay volunteers firemen \$2.00 for the first hour at a fire and \$1.00 for each hour thereafter. Eleven volunteers were authorized to be paid \$1.00 for weekly drills.

In '39 the first full time fire

Mrs. Hooker Hostess To Mary-Ruth Circle

Mrs. W. R. Hooker was hostess to the Mary-Ruth Circle of the Community Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at her home on W. Lake Rd.

Mrs. George Farnall gave the devotion and opened the meeting with prayer and Christmas Carols were sung. Mrs. M. M. Sabiston read the Scripture.

The program was presented by Mrs. Clarence Tilton on the topic "Building a Christian Garland," with everyone reading a part.

In the absence of the circle chairman, Mrs. N. T. Taylor, Mrs. W. R. Hooker presided at the business meeting, and the minutes were read by the secretary Mrs. E. C. Mapp.

The group voted to give a cash donation for patients of the Hollywood Mental Hospital, to spend for Christmas.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. Hugely, a guest, and the 13 members present. Mrs. D. C. DeHaven, Mrs. R. V. Allison, Mrs. Dora McWhorter, Mrs. R. W. Kidder, Mrs. E. F. Saunders, Mrs. F. E. Hollingsworth, Mrs. A. S. Branon, Mrs. P. L. Burke, Mrs. Farnall, Mrs. Mapp, Mrs. Hillton, Mrs. Sabiston and Mrs. Hooker.

men was employed — T. E. (Tommy) LaByer, with the added "hats" of Jailor and Building Custodian.

In '43 the firemen were raised to \$2.00 per drill and \$3.00 for the first hour at fires. A second fulltime man was added in '42 '43 and another in '45.

Chief Will, who had served since '32 had his pay raised to \$50 per month instead of the same rate as firemen.

The acquisition of additional equipment came along the painful way, as the City suffered growing pains, with 100 fire calls in '49 and 99 in '50.

Radio has been added to the equipment, working thru the police channel, and a station wagon added, for the Chief and for service.

Ft. Lauderdale had a spell of economy back in '38 and sold to Belle Glade the Peter Pirsch 750 GPM pumper (right in the picture).

The volunteers, with the aid of the Everglades Fire Control built a 500 GPM pumper on a Chevrolet chassis in '48, and other equipment has been added since.

Beginning in '51 the Department answered 87 calls, with the three years following ranging 69, 82 and 86. Since that time the number of calls answered haven't fallen below 100, except for the years '58 and '59 when they were 83 and 79 respectively.

In '62 there were 152 calls and in '63, 167.

Funeral Sunday For City Employee

C. E. Vandergriff

Funeral service for Clarence Edward Vandergriff, 47, of 256 N. W. 9th Street, Belle Glade, was held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at Community Methodist Church, with Rev. W. R. Boland conducting the service. Interment was in Port Mayaca Cemetery. The deceased died Friday at Glades General Hospital following a brief illness. He was employed by the City of Belle Glade as a guard. A veteran of World War 2, he came to Belle Glade three years ago, from West Hollywood.

Survivors, in addition to his wife, Maureen, are three sons: Clarence E. Jr., Leslie J. and Robert L.; his mother, Mrs. Lena Wilson, all of Belle Glade. One brother, Ray Vandergriff, Nashville, Tennessee and four sisters, Mrs. June Carey, Belle Glade; Mrs. Aubrey Sloan, Galatin, Tennessee; Mrs. Bob Praby, Kingsport, Tennessee, and Mrs. Betty Gilbert, Bremen, Indiana.

Active pallbearers were: Robert Wilson, Vernon Carey, Ron-

ald Snyder, Frank Fogelman, Williams Funeral Home had Jerry Trammell, Joe Caldwell, charge of the arrangements.



May the blessings of peace and good will be yours at Christmas!

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Glades Window Co. Inc.
400 S. E. 1st St.



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We wish all our good friends happiness through the holidays!

William "Bill" Pierce



Our best wishes for the very happiest of Holiday Seasons!

Bottle's Food Store

Kitty, J. B. & Horace

Help Clean Up Belle Glade

Boy Scout Troop 621 Receives Three Blue Ribbon Awards



SCENE FROM THE TUG-O-WAR EVENT — Pictured is Belle Glade Troop 621 in action. Troop 621 was first place winner in the event.



ONE OF THE SCOUTS — after a hard night in scouting events.



TYPICAL SCENE of Scout Camping.

Belle Glade Scout Troop 621 received three first place blue ribbon awards in a scoutcraft competition at the Glades District Camporee held recently at Port Mayaca, placing first in the tug-o-war and Ski-O-Rams events, and third high in total points given for camping skills. Their 801 point total qualified them for a blue ribbon in that competition also.

The following boys scouts from Belle Glade's Troop 621 attended: Woodman, Scout members Gary Camplin, Patrol Leader; Jimmy Winchester, Asst. Patrol Leader; Leon Kelson, Paul Bailey, Mike Allen, Jerry Williams, Rusty Holcomb, Keith Andrews, Jon Winchester, Warren Bass, Ted Burgess, Richard Eagle Patrol Members: Richard McMillan, Patrol Leader; David Morris, Asst. Patrol Leader; Steve Guzman, Roland Nelson, Mike Roy, Dennis Wedgworth, David Meeks, Ronnie Bryan and Mike Smith. Also attending were Bruce Camplin, Senior Patrol Leader; Eagle Scout, Vic Riedel, Asst. Scoutmaster, Committeemen: Lee Cranford, Walter Bailey and Jimmy Bryan and Transportation was also furnished by Mrs. Walter Bailey, Mrs. Pellon Morris, and Mr. Robert Nelson.

Other troops attending the camporee from Belle Glade were Troop 601 and troop 622, both of which made excellent showings in the competition.



GENERAL SCENE of Troop 621 listening for further instructions that will be given shortly. L-R — David Meeks, Mike Roy, Rusty Holcomb, Roland Nelson, Warren Bass, Steve Guzman, John Winchester, Jimmy Winchester, Leon Kelson, Mike Allen and Gary Camplin.



BRUCE CAMPLIN of Troop 621 is being tapped out into the Order of the Arrow. On the left is his brother Gary, watching the great heroic Chapter Chief (from Okeshobee), as he makes his selection.



Down is setting and all is well.



The Order of the Arrow performs the dance "The Indian Pow Wow."

ARCHAEOLOGICAL FACTS OF INTEREST

Expeditions in recent years have thrown great light on early Christian customs as well as the Old Testament.

For example, studies of the walls of the catacombs used in the early period of Christianity show us that "X" was the Greek symbol used to represent the name "Christ." This accounts for the custom of abbreviating "Christmas" to "Xmas," which is still common today. Considered by many to be irreverent, in the light of history, it is not.

Half a mile from the Dead Sea, in a place called Qumran are 11 caves known as the Caves of the Dead Sea Scrolls. Here, according to recent archaeological findings, a sect known as the Essenes copied the scriptures of their day approximately 100 B.C. to 70 A.D.

When the Roman Tenth Legion menaced the sect, they fled, leaving their precious manuscripts in jars and hiding them in secret caves.

They never returned to recover these manuscripts and the latter's existence was unknown until 1947 when a Bedouin boy accidentally discovered them.

The scrolls include a complete text of Isaiah, 1,000 years older than any Hebrew version used in our Bible, and they corroborate the Bible in detail. No doubt as archaeological expeditions continue to unearth discoveries of older civilizations, they will throw more light on Christian customs.

ing Christmas customs with the American Santa holding the focal point of the narrative in his visitations to Mexico, Spain, France, Italy, Czechoslovakia, Germany, Holland, Norway, England and home to our own in America. The bright and colorful costumes of the student cleverly depicted how these people lived and their quaint celebrations. Mrs. Wenger's musical presentations were highlighted by the rendition of the folk songs in German, French and Spanish by her classes.

The full import of the program was expressed in the Narrator's statement of "The Spirit of Christmas is the same all over the world. It's really JUST ONE CHRISTMAS after all so long as everyone is kind and all are good to each other and we walk in peace and harmony with our brothers."

A production of this magnitude was possible only with the full cooperation of the Principals, faculties, office personnel, custodians and parents of



CHILDREN EVERYWHERE LOVE SAINT NICOLAS

Although he may have various names or come in as many guises, the spirit of St. Nicholas is known to youngsters the world over.

In France, he is called Pere Noel and he places the children's gifts in their shoes, rather than in their stockings.

In Spain, Santa takes the form of the Three Wise Men who bring gifts on the eve of Epiphany instead of Christmas Eve.

In Switzerland, it is the Christ Child who delivers gifts of toys, nuts, sweets, and cakes to youngsters.

NEGRO NEWS

Honor Roll Listed For Lake Shore Hi

Lake Shore High School has announced the following students, who made the Honor Roll for the second six-week semester. They are:

Sharon Butts 8-2
Irene Crittenden 7-4
Johnny Lusane 9-2

HONORABLE MENTION

Seventh Grade
Gloria Lane, Emma Lattimore, Sharon Sheppard, Annie Thomas, Billy Troupe, Brendell Wilford, Charles Osburn, Henry Patterson, Willie Hall, Willie Singleton, Mae Campbell, Patricia Haslem, Ida Jackson.

Eighth Grade
Johnnie Brice, Shirley McLeod, Pamela Hill, Robert Florence, Willie Howard, Patricia Holmes.

Ninth Grade
Vivian Berry, Helen Boone, Ruth Byrd, Sally Cameron, Elvora Putnam, Matilda Reynolds, Sandra Daniels, Angela Floyd, Margaret Hill, Edna Johnson, Catherine Love, Jimmie Phinazee, Curtis Pierce, Barbara Mack, George Myrick, Clyde Curry, Johnny Milligan.

Tenth Grade
Naomi Gayle, Mary Etta Freeman, Deloris McClam.

Eleventh Grade

Lois, Dennard, Joseph Johnson, Ethel Monroe.

Twelfth Grade

Dorothea Brown, Emma Davis, Laurita Mack, Mary Milligan, Mary Smith, Chester Kears.

In Service

FOR GORDON, GA. (AHTNCO) Pvt. Benjamin F. Fuller, Jr., 22, whose father lives on Joe Louis Ave., South Bay, Fla., completed a six-week lineman course at the Army Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga., Dec. 4.

Fuller was trained to construct and maintain open wire, lead covered cables and field communication wires.

He entered the Army in April 1964 and completed basic training at Fort Gordon, Ga. Fuller attended Dunbar High School, Belle Glade.

Dan Hayes Received BS Degree

Dan Hayes received his Bachelor of Art Degree at graduation exercises at The Florida O'Connell, Supreme Court of State University, Tallahassee, Saturday evening Dec. 19 at 8 p. m. He was among the 500 awarded degrees at the Winter Commencement.

Gordon Williams Blackwell, president conferred the degrees at the exercises held in Tallahassee. The address "The Son of Mrs. Will Uhm."

The Pine Tree

This legend of medieval Europe is a very interesting one to remember. The pine trees were not always evergreens, at one time they turned brown like all other trees but a strange thing happened to change all that. When King Herod was told by the Wise Men about Jesus, he went into a rage and commanded his armies to slay all baby boys.

Joseph and Mary fled with the Child out of Israel. At the end of one day's journey, they came to a forest and standing before them was a half hollow pine tree. The family took refuge in the tree for the night and the tree dropped its branches to shield them from the soldiers. The army rode past and in the morning when the Child awoke, He blessed the pine by making it to be evergreen. This is why all year 'round the tree is green, and if you split the pine cone you can see the imprint of His hand.



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G. Truworth	182	475
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Glades Livestock Market

"The Spirit Of Christmas The Same All Over The World"

Santa Claus, complete with his reindeer and sleigh, came early to Belle Glade last Thursday and Friday when the Gove and Belle Glade Elementary Schools celebrated the advent of the Christmas Holidays with the presentation of an inspiring program of narration and music entitled "Let There Be Peace On Earth."

The cast of characters was drawn from the Enrichment Class students of both schools with Mrs. Bamford, teacher, directing. The music was under the direction of Mrs. Esther Wenger. Mrs. Bamford is the Special Service teacher in this area and Mrs. Wenger is Director of Public School Music in the Gove and Belle Glade Elementary Schools. The entire student bodies from both participated.

There were three distinct phases of the program: Beginning with the interpretation of Hanukkah, moving to the second part entitled Human Rights Day and on to the third and final phase of a glorious trip around the world depicting

both schools working in close harmony.

Parents and friends were most receptive to this program and appreciative of the time spent by our faculties in producing it. They expressed the hope that dramatic and musical programs will enrich our elementary school curriculum from time to time in the future as they make an excellent form of experience for all children.

God's blessing rest upon you

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The Woman's Page

All social notes and items of social interest should be communicated before noon Tuesday to be in time for publication the following Thursday.

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Garden Club Holds Traditional Dinner

The annual traditional Christmas Turkey Dinner held by the Belle Glade Garden Club with husbands and guests present for the occasion was well attended at the Civic Center.

The Christmas theme was carried out in decorations on the tables and about the room. Many husbands showed interest in the club and some asked to become honorary members.

Following the dinner Mrs. Luther Jones presented the program and showed colored slides of beautiful flower gardens in Europe, which was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Lonnie Warren was chairman for the dinner and hostesses with her were Mrs. Della Altman, Mrs. Will Ulm and Mrs. H. R. Collins.

Christmas Greetings



Dean's Standard Service

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gordon Corbin Wed In Double Ring Ceremony



Photo By Averill

Repeating vows after the Reverend W. R. Boland at the Community Methodist Church, Belle Glade, Miss Karen Lynn Vadasz became the bride of Paul Gordon Corbin at 8 p. m. Saturday, in a double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Vadasz, South Bay. She was graduated from Belle Glade High School, attended Florida State University and the College Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, Ohio. She is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, National Music Honorary Society and is currently employed by Belle Glade High School.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Solie Corbin of Belle Glade. He is a graduate of Belle Glade High School and recently returned from four years service in the United States Air Force and was on duty in Scotland and Okinawa. He is associated in business with his father.

The church of the wedding was decorated with the beauty and simplicity of the altar. Pews were marked by line candelabra. Mrs. Donald Jones, Jacksonville was organist and Milton Carpenter soloist sang "O Perfect Love," "I'll Walk with God," and "The Wedding Prayer."

The bride given in marriage by her father was a traditional gown of silk faced gown decorated with a small matching pillow, and she carried a cascade bouquet of white phalaenopsis orchids showered with Lily-of-the-Valley.

Miss Karol Vadasz, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a floor-length dress of Christmas green peau de soie, styled with elbow length sleeves, Watteau back and accented with a flat bow. Her nose veil was attached to a small matching veil of the same fabric as the gown. She carried a cascade bouquet of chrysanthemum and English ivy.

Bridesmaids Miss Marilyn Matthews, Lake Worth, Mrs. Jon B. Mann, Mrs. Jaye M. Bedsole, Mrs. J. A. Collins and Junior Bridesmaid, Miss Nancy Lee of Clewiston, cousin of the bride, wore dresses styled

Christmas Party and Gift Exchange Enjoyed By Belle Glade Chapter OES

A Christmas party and gift exchange followed the business meeting Thursday evening of Belle Glade Chapter No. 187, O. E. S. Each member and visitor present received an attractively wrapped gift from beneath a lighted Christmas tree and a good time was had by all. Refreshments of Christmas decorated cupcakes and coffee was served by the committee, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Pennington, Mrs. Marjorie Whitlock and Mrs. Mrs. Armstrong.

During the business session, Mrs. Madeline Taylor, a member of the Grand Chapter Library Committee reported that she had taken over 100 gifts, plus some wearing apparel, games, etc., and some money to the Hollywood Mental Hospital from this district.

Mrs. Donald Aspey announced that the installation of officers of Belle Glade Lodge No. 273, F. & A. M. will be on the evening of December 29, and Mrs. Beula Simmons, mother advisor announced that the probable date for installation of new Rainbow officers will be January 10. The new advisory board will also be installed at this time.

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Tension Is Topic Heard By HD Club

A program on "Tensions and How to Master Them" and a Christmas party following marked the December meeting of the Belle Glade Home Demonstration Club.

The meeting was conducted at the home of Mrs. Ralph W. Kidder, 149 S. E. 5th St. North, with Mrs. W. R. Hooker as co-hostess.

Mrs. Betty Woolfe, a home demonstration agent, gave an informative talk on how to master tensions, which was followed by a discussion on the subject.

Following the program the group held its annual gift exchange. Present were the club president, Mrs. F. C. Fessenden, Mrs. Della Altman, Mrs. Dora McWhorter, Mrs. E. C. Mann, Mrs. A. S. Brannon, Mrs. H. C. Willis, South Bay Mrs. J. O. Jensen, Lake Harbor and Mrs. John P. Frank.

It was announced the next meeting will be Jan. 21.

after the honor attendant and carried matching bouquets.

Mary Elizabeth Fussell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fussell, Orlando, was flower girl in a floor-length gown of green peau de soie fashioned after those of the other attendants. John L. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rogers, South Bay was ring bearer.

Sollie Corbin was his son's best man. Groomsman were Lynn Corbin, and Wynne Corbin, brothers of the bridegroom, Jay M. Bedsole, J. D. Lee, III, William Gist, Jr., Pahokee.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Vadasz wore a powder blue brocade dress with matching accessories and a white corsage. Mrs. Corbin, mother of the bridegroom wore a dusty rose lace dress with matching accessories and a white orchid corsage.

The reception followed in the church parlor. Assisting were Miss Cherry Corbin and Miss Peggy Weaver, Lake Worth. Mrs. Larry Williams, South Bay, Mrs. Lynn Corbin, Mrs. Philip Dulaney, Mrs. Cathy White, Mrs. Bill Schumfeld, Mrs. Jack Stanley, Pahokee.

The bride's table was overlaid with a handmade cloth of white satin and embroidered Swiss organza and garlanded with smilax. Cherub pedestal arrangements of white sims and miniature carnations were used on either side of the tiered bride's cake.

Guests were present from Alabama, Georgia, also Hollywood, Pahokee, Clewiston, Lake Worth and St. Petersburg. For traveling, Mrs. Corbin wore a gold wool suit with mink trim, brown accessories and an orchid corsage. Following a wedding trip to Nassau, Bahamas the couple will be at home in Belle Glade after Dec. 31.

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Holiday Hints Show Attracts Many

Many beautiful arrangements were on display at the Holiday Hints Show sponsored by the three garden clubs, Belle Glade, Garden Study and Chosen Club.

The display held at McDonnell Park Clubhouse showed the skills of the club members and variety of floral arrangements.

Despite the rain over 100 attended the show.

Door prizes were given as follows: 1. Mrs. Vance Lamb, an orchid given by Garden Study Club; 2. Mrs. William B. Rhodes a floral arrangement by Belle Glade Garden Club; 3. Mrs. Jo Knight, a mystery gift wrapped package, by Chosen Garden Club.

Several members had quite an array of specialty cakes which were on sale. Some of the arrangements were on exhibit and others were on sale.

Refreshments of homemade cake and coffee were served to guests.

Gove - Hayes Wedding Dec. 22

The wedding of Miss Karen Gove and Don Hayes will take place at the First Baptist church in Belle Glade on December 29 at 8 p. m. The Reverend Luther A. Key will officiate.

The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the home of Mrs. J. H. Chambliss, Jr., on Tabi Rd. Friends of the couple are invited to the wedding and reception. No invitations have been issued locally.

Miss Gwen Gove will be her sister's maid of honor. Other attendants will include Miss Janine Baird, Ft. Pierce; Miss Ethel Hartigan, Ft. Lauderdale; Jodie Len Daniel, niece of the groom, flower girl and Jimmy Chambliss, ringbearer.

Carl Hayes will serve his brother as best man and usher will be Roy Hayes, brother of groom, John Wilder Daniel, brother-in-law of the groom, Didi Mills and Charles Hayes, cousins of the groom.



With holly, mistletoe and holiday fun - may this Christmas be just wonderful for everyone.

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Letters To Santa.....

FOLLOWING SANTAS VISIT to Sears Store in Belle Glade on December 11, letters from children in the Glades poured in for the dear old fellow.

We think you'll enjoy reading them, so we did:

Dear Santa,
I am a good little boy. I go to school every day. I am ten years old. I want a B. B. Gun like a real gun, and a bicycle.
Ellis Bearden

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Karen Jean Rhyms. I am 9 years old and I have not got a Barbie doll that bends her knees. I know there is about 100 children writing you and they must ask a lot of things. I'm just asking for this: Barbie that bends her knees

Midge Doll
A stinger bicycle
Love ya always,
Karen Jean Rhyms
December 14, 1964
South Bay, Florida
General Delivery

Dear Santa Clause,
My name is Kenneth Cohen, I am 7 years old and I have a little brother too and his name is Frankie Cohen. Santa, I would like for you to bring me a book satchel, a blackboard, a radio and some cloths. My brother wants ABC blocks. He is 3 years old and he won't a blackboard and some cloths.

Yours truly,
Kenneth Cohen

Dear Santa,
I want whatever you can get me, but specially want a gun.
Ken Lopez

Dear Santa,
I am a big girl. I go to school. I am good and I say my prayers each night and mind my Mom and Dad. Please bring me Betty's Beauty Parlor and record player and records. I live at 180 Cypress Avenue, Pahokee.
Brenda Dean

Dear Santa,
I would like a air gun, because I been dreaming of it and I hope my dream comes true.
Truly yours,
Mike Lopez

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy, 5 years old. I am a very good boy. I want a tractor and trailer so I can haul sod like my big daddy use to, so please bring me a tractor and trailer if you can. I love you.
Love,
Randy Dean
I live at 180 Cypress Avenue, Pahokee.

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl, 4 years old. Will you please bring me a Trick and Doll. I am a good girl. I help my mama do her

work. Please! Santa.
Lisa Carol Dean
Pahokee, Fla.

Dear Santa,
I want a baby doll, a ring, train, ironing board and a dress. I've been real good girl.
Love,
Cheryl

Dear Santa,
I would like a rifle and a pair of boots and I hope you would get it.
Thank you,
Nicky, Jerry

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GLADES CHURCH NEWS....

Impressive Christmas Service

At St. Peter's Lutheran Church

A most reverent and impressive Christmas service, was the third of a series of mid-week Advent services, being held at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, of Belle Glade. This service was conducted Wednesday night, December 16, by the pastor, Rev. Richard Roseman. He was assisted in his service by the Belle Glade High School Girls' Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Janis Schwab.

College Quartet To Perform At Church Of The Nazarene

Rev. Ora Smith, pastor of the Church of The Nazarene, 16 N. W. Avenue D, Belle Glade, announces this week that the "Trevadine" Quartet, from Trevecca Nazarene College, Nashville, Tennessee, will appear at the Belle Glade Church, 7:30 p. m. January 5.

The four singers and their accompanist, will be accompanied here by Rev. Bill Anderson, College representative.

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Season's Greetings

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The Upper Room Citation Awarded Billy Graham



The Rev. Dr. J. Manning Potts, right, editor of The Upper Room is shown presenting the Upper Room citation for 1964 to Billy Graham, World Evangelist, at Raleigh, N. C.

Six hundreds persons, including scores of dignitaries and religious leaders from across the state and nation applauded and paid tribute to Billy Graham recently by the Rev. Dr. J. Manning Potts, editor of The Upper Room. International devotional guide published in 38 languages across the world. Dr. Graham was honored for his contribution to world Christian fellowship.

Among those who gave responses were the Rev. Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, pastor of Marble Collegiate Church, New York City who gave the address of the evening and Governor-elect Dan K. Moore of North Carolina.

Dr. Peale said Billy Graham is the "greatest spiritual leader of our time" and said he knew more about Jesus Christ because of Billy Graham.

Governor-elect Moore said Billy Graham is a "most distinguished son of North Carolina."

In return, Billy Graham said he was "absolutely overwhelmed" by The Upper Room award and that he would use the occasion to rededicate his life to God and to the Gospel.

Jesus Christ, the Redeemer of the world, did come to this earth as a Babe, and He was born in a manger, but He did not stay in that manger. Jesus, "the child grew," and became a man and took His Gospel to the people. He healed the sick and lifted the fallen. He died on the cross and was resurrected and He lives today. Jesus did all of this that we might become the "sons of God" and have abundant, eternal life.

We are plainly told in the Holy Bible that the miracle of the "new birth" can take place in us. When as a sinner we cry out to God, "I believe," the Spirit of Jesus Christ enters into one, and our human flesh is transformed into a temple of the living God. At the moment we receive Him, we become a "son of God," and a joint-heir with Jesus.

When we consider this indescribable wonder of God's divine gift to us, "Christ in us, the hope of glory," we can better understand what St. Paul meant when he wrote: "Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift." 2 Cor. 9:15.

How can one know that he has received Jesus Christ, God's unspeakable gift, into his heart? Jesus said that He would manifest Himself to us, for in John 14:21, we read "He that hath my commandments, and keep-

What Do We Think Of At Christmas Time

What do we think of at Christmas time, Amidst all the joy and gaiety on this earth? Do we think of the day that it is at Christmas time, That it's the day of the Christ Child's birth.

What do we think of at Christmas time, When we see all the glittering trees? Do we remember the words of our Lord at Christmas time,

"You give to Me whatever you give to the least of these?" What do we think of at Christmas time, Do we think of the lights of the world at Christmas time, Or the Light of Life our Lord gave to you and me?

What do we think of at Christmas time, When we give gifts to those we love? Do we remember the Holy Babe

at Christmas time, A gift to us from our God above? What do we think of at Christmas time, When we gather around for a delicious feast? Do we remember the Babe in the manger at Christmas time?

When the wise men were guided by the star in the East? When we are singing Christmas carols at Christmas time, Do we remember the herald angels who sang back then?

"Glorio to God," they sang that Christmas time, "Peace on earth and good will toward men."

Let us all be merry at Christmas time, And all be happy throughout the New Year, But let us remember our Lord at Christmas time, And keep Him with us now, and forever near.

Edythe P. Murray

Christmas Program At Catholic Church

BELLE GLADE ST. PHILIP BENEDICTINE CHURCH. Thursday — "Confessions 3-5 & 7-9 P. M. — Christmas Carols at 11:45 P. M. — HIGH MASS at 11:45 P. M. (Between Thurs and Fri.) Friday — CHRISTMAS MASSES: 7:00, 10:30 & 12 noon (Spanish).

S. Bay First Baptist Over Mission Goal

The First Baptist Church of South Bay exceeded their goal of \$75.00 for Foreign Missions through the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering and have given to date \$86.71.

This is first time in more than four years that the ladies and members of the church have gone over their goal for Foreign Missions. The last three special Mission offerings of the church have been met with a good percentage over the goal.

Rev. James A. Fenton, congratulated the congregation on Sunday evening for their fine job in reaching the mission goal and urged them to continue their Mission Offerings both at home and abroad!

M. J. Young To Preach At Church Of Nazarene

M. J. Young from Orlando will fill the pulpit at Church of the Nazarene on N. W. Ave. D, for two weeks in the absence of Rev. Ora Smith, pastor, who is away with his family for the holidays.

Mr. Young has been an ordained elder in the Church of the Nazarene since 1913. He is retired but still preaches.

Everyone is invited to come and hear him.

What Christmas Means To Me

Mrs. John A. Delaney

This wonderful season of the Christian year, joyously, and vividly impresses me, anew with the glorious message of the angel of the Lord on that first Christmas Eve.

Just as the multitude of the heavenly host in the Judean hills praised God, and said, "Glory to God, who is on earth and peace, good will toward men," Luke 2:14, I too, desire to exclaim the Good News, "Immanuel," which means, "God is with us."

God's tremendous miracle of "Love and Grace," manifested to the Christian believer in the perfect person of the Precious Lord Jesus Christ, makes us know the true meaning of St. John's Gospel, "In the beginning was the WORD, and the WORD was with God, and the WORD was God," said "And the WORD was made flesh, and dwelt among us."

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The Wise Men

"Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the King, behold, wise-men from the East came to Jerusalem saying, where is he that is born King of the Jews? For we saw his star in the East, and are come to worship him." (Matthew 2:1-2)

"And they came into the house and saw the young child with Mary his mother; and they fell down and worshipped him; and opening their treasures they offered unto him gifts, gold and frankincense and myrrh." (Matthew 2:11)

THEIR EXAMPLE

1. They were interested enough to search until they found him.
2. They were interested enough to follow the light God gave.
3. They were interested enough to worship.
4. They were interested enough to give.
5. They listened to the voice of God, rather than the voice of men.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY

How interested are you in Christ?

You are invited to learn more about Christ at the Belle Glade Church of Christ, 125 N. W. Avenue D.

eth them, he it is that loveth me; and the that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him."

My Christmas prayer is that all may be drawn to Christ without loss of one, and that all may have the glorious experience of the manifestation of His life in their own.

(Mrs. Delaney is a Ministerial student of the Department of Ministerial Education of The Methodist Church in Nashville, Tenn., and was recommended by the Community Methodist Church and given the consent of The Palm Beach District Methodist Churches of The Florida Annual Conference.)

Walther League Uses Two Christmas Trees For Church Decoration

The Walther League of St. Peter's Lutheran Church decorated the Church for Christmas. This year, they used two Christmas trees instead of one.

One tree is decorated in the traditional fashion with bulbs, ornaments, and balls. This represents the tree of life. The other tree on the right side of the altar represents the tree of death. On it are hung 33 apples. The apple represents the forbidden fruit which caused man to sin, and thus die. The 33 stands for the life of Christ on earth, in which He gave that man might be saved. Around the base of the tree is a red garment symbolizing the blood-red sins of man, as Isaiah wrote, "Thou young son be scarlet..." At the base of the tree of life is a white garment, symbolizing the white robe washed clean by the blood of the Lamb, according to the rest of Isaiah's prophecy "... they shall be white as snow."

Lutheran Church Christmas Services

St. Peter's Lutheran Church of Belle Glade will hold the following Christmas services during Holy week:

Wednesday, December, the 23rd, Children's Christmas Service, 7:30 p. m. Sermon theme: "The Tree of Death and the Tree of Life."

Thursday, the 24th, Christmas Eve Candle Light Service, 8:00 p. m.

Friday, the 25th, Christmas Day Service, 10:00 a. m.

Sunday, the 27th, Sunday school and Bible Class, 9:15 a. m. Divine Worship, 10:30 a. m.



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Cards in the night... the old story made new and again... the love for the Christ Child, poignant, deep... the melody of past Christmas remembered.

In the wake of a song, "Silent Night, Holy Night," all this comes to mind. And no Christmas with the twappings of bells and mistletoe, the flash of bright and shining, the glitters of the twinkling stars.

Yet, amidst of the Christmas, Christmas comes to mind... there is no bells, no mistletoe, and there's not a sign to be seen. But it is Christmas past the name.

This is not merely a season, this time of the birth of Christ. It is much more. It is understood if fully... to be in the reality... to be in the Church.

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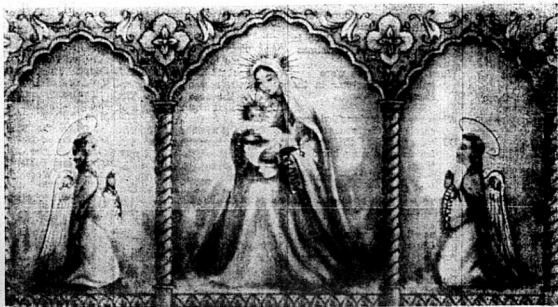
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Our Latin Neighbors' Column



MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL OF YOU

In our first column for the Latin Colony, we had great pleasure writing the introduction and salutation for all of you. In this one we want to wish you some Christmas with the warmth of your families around you, health in full, and a good job for this New Year. We do not forget our Cubans that we left behind us, but for their own sake, we need to elevate our spirits and work with eagerness. Because in this generous country that has given us asylum, the same as their own fields produce in abundance, we see abundant result in the fruits of our work. Do not dismay, and go forward, CUBANO!

Although in our first paragraph we refer to the Cubans, who have passed through the sadness of leaving our country, all of you dear friends of the Hispanic tongue, are included in our Christmas felicitations. And believe it truly, that we feel like brothers. You can make use of this column for every news and necessary considerations.

And to our American neighbors, who have given us such respect, help and solution, GOD BLESS YOU NOW AND FOREVER.

It has been suggested to us to write about Christmas in Cuba. I can only tell about the Christmas that I knew, reunion and union of the family, but evoking them I imagine it will remind you of your own, as in Cuba the Christmas was above all a renovation and strengthening of family ties. All of us used to go and group ourselves beside our parents, or brother, or whoever remained as head of the family. Being together again in the spirit of love and Christian charity that you feel especially at this time of the year, produced a great goodness to our spirit that was left bathed in fraternal love and tenderness to our own kin, to our friends, to strangers, and to all.

Not knowing where to begin, we could make this narrative, as the story of one person on Christmas.

As Christmas nears, as we all wanted that in this day in which Christ was born, all the joy and no necessity be suffered, the custom was that in one form or another, in the house, or in Church, in the school, or in the office, or in the Club, one would cooperate with his work or donation, to make packages or baskets of food, clothing and toys, to be delivered to families who needed them.

Grandmama, in her little house, adorns her Christmas tree, big big that gets up to the ceiling, with lights and tiny decorations, almost all made by herself. The tree green and bushy, with its silver threads shining so much surrounding it, the color balls, little houses, small angels and Santa Claus, candles and even sweets and candies, hanging from its branches. Grandmama lights it every night on the days before Christmas and sits in front of it to look at it all lightened up, turning out the lights of the whole house, to see it even prettier, and on the radio or records, she puts on the Christmas songs she likes so much. She gets up and once again arranges under the tree the little packages for all her sons and daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. But as Grandmama gets tired, she sits down every few moments, and drinks a small cup of tea if she feels weak. How she enjoys her Christmas tree, and planning the small presents for each one of her own kin whom she loves so much. Do you know how many presents I put? 76 presents, she says proudly.

First we have Christmas Eve. How nice Christmas Eve! We all planned to bring our good clothes, and try to get as pretty and elegant as possible. Everything one could do for Xmas Eve, clothes, make-up, hairdo, furs or jacket, didn't seem enough. That night the whole family would be together at Mami-Linda and Father's house. Mami and Papa had nine children, almost all of them were married and had kids of our own, and they had 24 grandchildren already. But Christmas Eve was for grown-ups and young ones who could stay up till a little bit late in the night. Believe it or not, the most beautiful and precious that day was always Mami-Linda.

Her house in order and especially adorned that day more than ever, her mahogany furniture shining, and the porcelain ornaments, silver and ashtars, that had been polished all morning. The oil paintings on the wall looked beautiful in the living room. Walking then towards the dining room, the first thing on your way was a little tea table, and on it you found a punch-bowl with cups around it, where every drink tasted delicious and made you go. And our Pauline, our little old negro, refined and elegant, who had lived with us since we were born, passing her trays with a tender smile.

On the big mahogany table, all set with our lace tablecloth, a dish with sliced pork, another one with slices of turkey, and a comported with strawberry marmalade to be poured over the turkey. A congris of rice and black beans, nuts, hazelnuts, nougat and sweet almond pastes. Yum! Yum! Mami also celebrated Xmas Eve, but what Eves were those! That day she had all her children together. Dinner was served at eight o'clock in the night. And after everybody talking all they could, about nine thirty we sat in the living room, bringing chairs from every where as there were not enough. There in the living room, with a small tree very beautifully adorned, we interchanged presents

with Mami and Papa, and our brothers, sisters and in-laws. And before ten o'clock in the night, the reveler couples went to cabarets or to clubs for the Xmas Eve feasts, where they had fun till two or three in the morning. Others stayed till twelve o'clock to attend Midnight Mass.

Afterwards, already in our homes, the presents for the children were placed at the foot of their beds. And the joy and playfulness of the kids the morning after, was great. That Christmas Day, those who had not attended Midnight Mass, went to 12:00 o'clock noon Mass, and there in Church there was a big scene representing the Nativity, the size of a room, with lights turning on and off. All the little figures were so well carved that they seemed to move, and some moved in reality, one was bringing out water from the well, the windmill turned around, the little donkey moved his head, the Three Kings coming down the Mountain, and in a large cave simulating a manger, the precious figures of Saint Joseph, the Virgin, and the Child Jesus.

This December the 25th, Christmas Day, was blessed and we went without failing to Grandmama's house, where we formed a reunion of seven families, those of her seven children, with their offspring, the cousins, the grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Arriving there about five o'clock we talked and talked to one another, because some of us scarcely saw each other only on Xmas; and at seven o'clock we had dinner with her. She also had pork, turkey, sweets and the cake she liked so much. The music going on with the Xmas carols, and after dinner, we went to the living room, where Grandmama sat in front of her tree, and called one by one her 76 relatives, adults and children. Nobody was forgotten. And we gave her the presents that she opened slowly, praising each one of them enchanted.

And they, the ones in my story, remained in Cuba, Mami and Grandmama. That's why we think of them so much, on the Eve and on Christmas Day.

I imagine that all of you spent your Christmases somewhat like this, in the city or in the country. The principal idea was to be with your parents and grandparents, and for them to get together with their grandchildren, brothers and cousins. And from such joy they spoke to each other at the same time, each one in a tone higher than the other, such a noisy crowd we the Latins are; and there was always one to break and sing the songs, the remembrance of which almost makes us break down and cry, for all the happiness, the affections and the memories that they recall:

"To cry over Papa Montero

Zumbao ... the Rumbling canaille ..."

"Over there in Siria

There is a Most girl

Who has the loveliest eyes

Than the most enchanting star ..."

"To the hills of Bethlehem

Of Bethlehem we go ..."

Ace ... Eaa ..."

Cutting down Cane

Cutting down Cane ..."

"When will it come back, Xmas Eve"

When will it come back?"

P. D. — And if you want more remembrances, representations

and Cuban songs, on January second, at the Royal Poinciana in Palm Beach, they are going to present "REMEMBRANCE OF CUBA" in a matinee and a second show.

Mrs. Fina Larrondo

AROUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD And speaking about the city of Havana Mr. James MacFarlane, born in Bankfoot, Perth, Scotland on February 18, 1873, was one of the engineers who helped to construct the Panama Canal, and created in Cuba the MacFarlane Moundry in Sagua la Grande. Our deepest sympathy to his widow, Mrs. Jessie Daniels MacFarlane, his children, Stewart MacFarlane and Carmen Pearson MacFarlane, Janet MacFarlane Sempie and Walter Sempie, and his grandchildren, James MacFarlane, Jr., Stewart MacFarlane, Jr., Walter Sempie Jr., and Sheila MacFarlane.

Our Cuban people are informed that on Sunday, December 27, at 9:30, Channel 10 will present a round table discussion on Cuba and What can be done. We remind you all to come in and listen to this discussion by well-informed panel members, who will be speaking in Spanish and their discussion translated to English.

Colombia Letina

Felices Pascuas A Todos

En nuestra primera columna para la Colombia Letina, nos dimos gusto escribiendo la introducción y salutación para todos ustedes. En esta queremos desearles unas Pascuas con el calor de sus familias alrededor, salud en plén de nuestros trabajos para este Año Nuevo. No nos olvidamos de nuestros Cubanos que dejamos atrás, pero por ellos mismos, necesitamos elevar nuestro espíritu y trabajar con aian. Pues en este país tan generoso que nos ha dado asilo, lo mismo que sus siembras producen en cantidad, vemos un resultado abundante en nuestro fruto del trabajo. No desmayen, y adelante, CUBANOS!

Aunque en nuestro primer párrafo nos referíamos a los Cubanos, que hemos pasado tanta pena al dejar nuestros países, todos queridos amigos de habla hispana están incluidos en nuestra felicitación Pascual. Y creemos lo vemos, que nos sentimos como hermanos. Pueden disponer de este columna para toda resena o cooperación necesaria.

Y a nuestros convecinos Americanos, que tanto respeto, ayuda y solución nos han dado, DIOS LOS BENDIGA. AHORA Y SIEMPRE.

Nos ha sido sugerido que escribiéramos sobre las Pascuas Cubanas. Yo solamente puedo contar de las Pascuas que conocí, reunión y unión de la familia, pero evocándolas imagino, que también les ha de recordar las vuestras, ya que en Cuba las Pascuas eran ante todo una renovación y fortalecimiento de los lazos familiares. Todos íbamos a agruparnos al lado de nuestros padres, o del hermano, o del que quedaba como cabeza de familia. El volver a estar juntos dentro del espíritu del amor y caridad cristiana que se siente en especial en esta época del año, producía un gran bien a nuestro espíritu que quedaba banado de amor fraternal y de ternura para los nuestros, para los amigos para los extraños, y para todos.

No sabiendo por donde comenzar, podemos hacer este relato, como historia de una persona pasada sus Navidades.

Al acercarse las Pascuas, como todos queríamos que ese día en que nació Cristo todo fuera alegría y no se pasara necesidad, la costumbre hacía que en una u otra forma, en las casa, o en la iglesia, o en el colegio, o en la oficina, o en el Club, cooperara uno con su trabajo o donación, a hacer paquetes o cestas de comida, ropa y juguetes, para entregarlos a las familias que los necesitaban.

Tenemos en su casa, a Abuelita, adornando su árbol de Navidad, grande grande que llega hasta el techo, le pone sus bombillas y sus adornos, casi todos hechos por ella. El árbol verde y coposo, con sus hilos de plata que brillan y lo rodean, las bolas, casitas, angelitos y Santa Claus, velitas y hasta dulces y caramelos, colgando de sus ramas. Abuelita lo enciende todas las noches en los días antes de Navidad, y se sienta delante para verlo todo encendido, apagando la casa para verlo mas bonito, y en el radio o en los discos, pone sus villancicos que tanto le gustan. Se levanta y una vez mas arregla debajo del árbol los paquetes para todos sus hijos, nietos y bisnietos. Pero como Abuelita se cansa, se sienta de nuevo a cada momento, y toma su tacita de té si se siente débil. Como goza su arbolito, y toma su tacita de té si se siente débil. Como goza su arbolito, y ha ido planeando el regalo para cada uno de los suyos que ella quiere tanto. Sabes cuantos regalos puse? 76 regalos, mi querida querida.

Primero nos llegaba la Nochebuena. Que buena la Nochebuena! Todos planeábamos estrenarnos ropa buena y linda, y ponernos la mas elegante y bello posible. Todo nos parecía poco para la Nochebuena, ropa, make-up, peinado, capas de piel, chaquetas, en fin todo lo que podía embellecer. Esa noche no respiramos toda la familia en casa de Mami-Linda y Papa. Mami y Papa tuvieron nueve hijos, y ya casi todos estaban casados y con hijos. Y Mami tenía ya 24 nietos. Pero la Nochebuena era para la gente grande y los jovencitos que se podían quedar hasta un poco tarde en la noche. Creaslo o no, quien mas linda y preciosa estaba siempre ese día, era Mami-Linda.

Su casa ordenada y adornada siempre, ese día mas que nunca brillaban sus muebles de caoba y los, adornos de porcelana, sus bombillas sus muebles de caoba y los adornos de porcelana. Cuadros en la pared venían bellísimos esa noche. Esa era la casa. Cuando uno iba al comedor, se encontraba antes que nada, en una mesita de té, una ponchera con sus copitas, donde toda bebida sabía deliciosa y nos daba alegría. Y nuestra Paulina, la negrita vieja, fina y elegante, que ha estado con nosotros desde que nacimos, pasando sus bandejas con una sonrisa de carino.

En la mesa grande de caoba, puesta con el mantel blanco de encaje, fuente con leche lasquedao, otra con lacas de pavo, con una cazera de mermelada de fresas para echarse al pavo. Un congris de arroz con frijoles negros, mueras, avellanas y turnone de jijona y alicante. Que rico! Mami solamente celebraba la Nochebuena, pero que Nochebuena era así! Ese día se reunían todos sus hijos. Todo lo que se oía eran risas, alegrías y bromas. La comida se servía a las ocho de la noche. Y después de conversar todo lo que se podía, a las nueve y media nos sentábamos en la sala, trayendo sillitas de todos lados, pues no afluaban para todos. Y en la sala, con un arbolito pequeño pero muy bello adornado, intercambiábamos regalos con Mami y Papa, nuestros hermanos y cuñados. Y a eso de las diez de la noche, las parejas paradas se iban de cabaret o a un club para las fiestas de Nochebuena, donde festejaban hasta las doce o las tres de la mañana. Otros nos quedábamos hasta las doce, para ir a Misa de Gallo.

Después, ya en nuestras casas, los regalos para los hijos se ponían a los pies de sus camas. Y la alegría y el jugar de los niños a la mañana siguiente era grandísima. Esa casa de Navidad, el que no iba a Misa de Gallo, iba a misa de las 12 de mediodía, y allí en la iglesia había un nacimiento de tamaño de un cuarto, que se encendía y apagaba. Todas las figuritas tan bien hechas que parecían iban a moverse, y algunos se movían de verdad, uno sacaba agua del pozo, el molino daba vueltas, el burrito movía su cabezita, los Reyes Magos bajaban la montaña, y en grande, en una rueda simulando un pesebre, las figuras preciosas de San José, la Virgen y el Niño Jesús.

Es 25 de Diciembre, día de Navidad, era bendito e íbamos sin falta a casa de Abuelita, donde nos reuníamos siete familias. Los de sus siete hijos, con sus proles, los primos, nietos y bisnietos. Llegábamos a su casa a las cinco de la tarde y conversábamos unos con otros, que algunos apenas nos veíamos nada mas que en Pascuas; y a las siete de la noche todos comíamos con ella. También había lecheon, pavo, dulces y el cake que tanto le gustaba. La música suena con sus villancicos, y después de la comida pasábamos a la sala, donde se iba a Misa de Gallo. Esa era la Navidad, y nos llamaba uno a uno a sus 76 parientes, grandes y chicos. Nadie se le olvidaba. Nosotros le dábamos nuestros regalos que ella después, al final, iba abriendo despacio, celebrando encantada uno a uno.

Y ellas, las de mi historia, quedaron alla en Cuba! Mami y Abuelita. Por eso pensamos tanto en ellas, en el día de Nochebuena y de Navidad.

En realidad yo imagino que todos pasaban unas Pascuas parecidas en la ciudad y en el campo. La idea principal era ver a los padres y los abuelos, y estos reunirse con sus nietos, hermanas y nietos. Y de tanta alegría se hablaban unos a otros casi a la misma vez, cada uno en tono mas alto que el otro, tan bullangueros nuestros los cuñados, y siempre había uno que rompía a cantar canciones que al recordar ahora casi nos hacen romper a llorar por toda la felicidad, los afectos, las memorias que nos hacen evocar.

"Si muero en la carretera

No me pongan flores ..."

"A llorar a Papa Montero

Zumbao ... Canalla Rumbero ..."

"Alla en la Siria

Hay una Mora,

Quea tiene los ojos mas lindos

Que un lucero encendido ..."

"A la loma de Belen

De Belen nos vamos ..."

Ace ... Eaa ..."

Tumbando Cane ..."

Tumbando Cane ..."

Cuando volviera, Nochebuena,

Cuando volviera?"

"Que buena la Nochebuena ..."

P. D. — Y si quieren mas recuerdos, estampas y canciones criollas, el día dos de Enero, en el Royal Poinciana de Palm Beach, van a presentar "ANORADA CUBA" en matinee y un segundo show.

Mrs. Fina Larrondo.

ALFREDO DEL VECINO

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Yolanda Toledo

Felicitamos a la Sra. Yolanda Toledo, que cumple hoy día de Nochebuena 17 años, es hija de Consuelo y Oscar Toledo, graduada de nuestro High School de Belle Glade, y profesora en Enero empezará sus estudios en Palm Beach Junior College.



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LINDA BROWNING HOME FROM GREENBRIER COLLEGE

Miss Linda Browning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Browning of Belle Glade has arrived home for the Christmas holidays. Linda was a guest in the home of Miss Betty Eaton, Washington, D. C. for a few days before leaving home. Both Linda and Betty are enrolled in Greenbrier College, Lewisburg, West Virginia. The holiday departure also gave an announcement to the students who were on the Dean's list for the first quarter, and Linda is one of the twenty students for whom this recognition. Linda formerly was a student of Haines City High School. The Brownings will enjoy the Christmas holiday at their home in Lake Hamilton.

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Amos E. Jackson

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vicar beach contractor. Re-elected vice presidents were Albin R. Olson of the Village of North Palm Beach, Claude L. Shirley of Pahokee and William F. Mitchell of Boca Raton. Newly elected as a vice president was Harvey E. Oyer, Jr., of Boynton Beach.

Robert E. Rickett of West Palm Beach was named secretary to succeed W. Julian Field of Palm Beach and John E. Stine of Lake Worth was re-named treasurer for the 10th consecutive term. Appointment of Art Keil as manager was confirmed by the board.

President Jackson, who has been a member of the board of directors for the past seven years and a vice president for two terms, outlined basic work program which includes continuation of industrial promotion, acceleration of work on I-95 interstate highway through the county, revival of a beach erosion protection plan, continuation of tax and budget study committee work at the county level and continued cooperation with the Florida Development Commission and the Florida State Chamber of Commerce travel council in the development of both industrial and tourist promotions.

Jackson has been a resident of Palm Beach for 24 years, has served as a director and treasurer of the YMCA, superintendent of the Sunday School of Northwood Methodist church, chairman of the tax section of the Florida Bar Association and is a member of the American Bar Association and the Palm Beach County Bar Association.

Girls 4-H Clubs

Have Christmas Party On Friday

The girls of the combined 4-H Clubs, held their Christmas party, Friday, December 18th, 8:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Dan Sellers, in Clewiston. The Gator 4-H girls gave a beautiful outdoor Christmas pageant, depicting the birth of Jesus. A loudspeaker from inside, projected the voices of the girls, telling the familiar story. Following this, a hyaline and carol sing was held throughout the town, after which, the group enjoyed refreshments of Christmas cookies, cakes and fudge at the home of Mrs. Herbert Priest. The 32 girls present were composed of the following clubs: Belle Glade Ramettes, The Glades Gremlins, Gators and Pixies; also present were two smaller brother and sister groups, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herbert Priest.

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The home of Mrs. Billy Rogers in South Bay was the scene of the bridesmaids luncheon Saturday at 12 noon. Mrs. Howard Leonard was co-hostess. The bride to be, Miss Karen Vadaz, was presented a lovely silver tray from the hostesses. Miss Vadaz presented her attendants with gifts.

The honoree and her attendants were seated at a round table, covered with a white linen cutwork cloth, centered with a floral arrangement of white stock and white carnations. Other guests were seated at individual tables.

Rehearsal Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Solie Corbin entertained at a rehearsal dinner Friday night at the Clewiston Inn, Clewiston.

Guests were seated at two long tables on the patio. Places were set for Miss Karen Vadaz and Gordon Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Solie Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Vadaz, Miss Karen Vadaz, Wayne Corbin, Miss Cheryl Corbin, Miss Peggy Weaver, William Gist, Jr., Mrs. B. M. Fender, Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Boland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carpenter, Mrs. Donald Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Major Lee and daughter.

Others present were Karl Vadaz, Mrs. Jon Mann, Mrs. J. A. Collins, Marilyn Matties, Mrs. Joyce Besole, Nancy Lee, Cherry Corbin, Mrs. Herman Fussell, Mary Elizabeth Vadaz, Mrs. B. M. Fender, Mrs. Solie Corbin, Mrs. Alfred Vadaz, Mrs. Major Lee.

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HERE and THERE.....

During the Holidays

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Allen, Jr., and Bobby for Christmas Day will be his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Allen, Sr., of West Palm Beach and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olsen of Manchester, Mass., who are wintering in Lake Worth. Mrs. Allen's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Gregory of Lakeland will also be guests for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fessenden are expecting to have visiting them on the holiday weekend, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Poole and family from Ft. Pierce, and their son and family, the John Fessenden from Leesburg. They will also visit other relatives in Belle Glade, while here.

Mrs. W. J. Rawls is under observation at Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach. She has been ill for several weeks. Friends may visit or send cards to Room 465.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hewitt spent the weekend on a fishing trip to Pine Island. They enjoyed their new camp trailer, which has all the conveniences of home.

Miss Millicent Nash from Miami will be here for Christmas Eve and Christmas day, visiting her mother, Mrs. Rosa Nash.

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE
RETRACTOR - MOWER
 SEALED Bids for the replacement of the City of Belle Glade, Florida, at the City Manager's office, until 10:00 a. m. January 8, 1965 at which time all bids will be publicly opened.
 Specifications are:TRACTOR:
 -Engine - gasoline
 -HP power - 25 to 35
 -Drawbar HP - 25 to 35
 -Transmission - 4-speed forward
 -Tires - non-directional
 -Hydraulic System with three forward gears
REAR ATTACHED MOWER -
 -17" wide foot cutter bar
 -PTO operated hooking up to a three point hitch
NOTE: This piece of equipment should be compatible with the City of Belle Glade, Florida. All bids will be mailed in plainly sealed envelopes addressed to the City Manager, City of Belle Glade, 21 West Avenue A, Belle Glade, Florida.
 The City Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive informality, and to accept any combination of bids which in its sole and absolute judgment will best serve the public interest.
CITY OF BELLE GLADE
 City C. Jones, City Clerk
 Pub: December 24 & 31, 1964

LAKE HARBOR NOTES

By W. S. C. S. - WY 6-2279

Ben and David Prewitt have

come home from school to

spend the holidays with their

parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C.

Prewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Blausier

spent the weekend with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L.

Blausier in Ocala.

Rev. and Mrs. Jamison visit-

ed her brother and family, Mr.

and Mrs. Paul B. Edwards, in

Fort Pierce on Monday.

Miss Sherry Lee left Friday

night to spend the holidays

with her sister, Miss Tyra Lee,

student nurse in Macon, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Devo Mathis of

Belle Glade were Sunday din-

ner guests of Mrs. A. B. Mathis,

Sr.

Mrs. Jack Shannon, Jody, and

Rance of Jacksonville spent the

week with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Pete Haucomb.

Rev. and Mrs. Jamison will

spend Christmas with their

daughter and family in Home-

stead.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Prewitt

and Mr. and Mrs. John Prewitt

of Gainesville came home Wed-

nesday to spend the holidays

with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pre-

witt.

Mrs. W. W. Bailey, Bill, Von-

elle, and Norma Jean Rogers

were called to Alabama Tues-

day on the account of the death

of Mrs. Bailey's sister, Miss El-

ma Mackey.

Mrs. Frank Robertson and

Miss spent Saturday shopping

in West Palm Beach.

Mrs. Jackson was a guest of

the Belle Glade Home Demon-

stration Club on Thursday in

the home of Mrs. R. W. Kidder.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger L. Sax-

ton and family of Ft. Lau-

derdale were Sunday guest of his

mother, Mrs. R. L. Saxton.

Richard Wilson and Josephine

Crouch had a short visit with

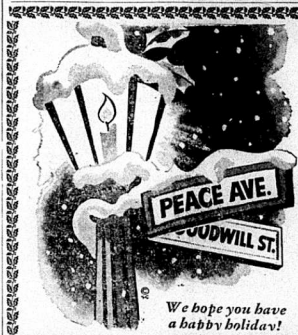
Faye Wilson in Valdosta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Robert-

son and daughter Reni have

moved to Clewiston.

Mrs. John Garrett of Cen. Gene Boggs and daughter of Frank Robertson's Sunday af-
 ter, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Riviera Beach called on the afternoon.



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PB And Washington To Exchange Stars For Christmas Ballet

Claudia Cravey, the sensational 18 year old ballerina of Frank Hale's Palm Beach Ballet Co., will star in the Washington Ballet Company's full-length production of "THE NUTCRACKER" this Christmas at famous Constitution Hall.

Backed by the magnificent 96 piece National Symphony Orchestra, she will be partnered by Washington Ballet star Robert Davis. Mr. Davis, internationally known premiere danseur, is also responsible for the choreography of that production.

Jo Anna, Artistic Director of the Palm Beach Ballet announced that following the Washington production which plays December 26, 27th and an additional performance in Baltimore on the 28th, Mr. Davis will fly to Palm Beach with Claudia to star in the traditional Christmas Ballet at the Royal Poinciana Playhouse.

"In order to work this exchange, many obstacles had to be overcome," said Jo Anna. "We had to postpone our opening night till the 29th, and reprint our tickets. Also, since Mr. Davis and Miss Cravey would only fly in from Baltimore on the morning of our opening, they had to be completely rehearsed in our production of Les Sylphides before, in a whirlwind visit this to leave for Washington to rehearse The Nutcracker. Thereafter, in a whirlwind visit this weekend, Davis flew in from Washington, staged the entire 'Les Sylphides' to correspond with the version done by his company, rehearsed with Claudia, and flew back."

Davis was ecstatic over the exchange of artists arrangement. Said he, "After many years of dancing with the world leading ballerinas, I have found in Claudia Cravey the ideal partner. She not only has a remarkable technique, but a supreme artistry. It is a thrill for me to dance with her, and a privilege to present her for the first time to Washington audiences."

Frank Hale and Jo Anna were no less enthusiastic regarding Mr. Davis. "Wait till Palm Beach audiences see Bob Davis and Claudia Cravey together, they're fantastic sparks fly... it's absolutely electrifying..." said Hale... and from Jo Anna, "... Mr. Ted Shawn of famed Ballets Russes has called Robert Davis perhaps the greatest leading male dancer of our generation, and I certainly have to agree with him."

The traditional Christmas Ballet opens with a Gala Black Tie performance on Tuesday evening, December 29th, with additional performances scheduled for matinee and evening on Wednesday, December 30th, and a final matinee on Thursday, December 31st.

The Royal Poinciana Playhouse box office is now open for reservations. The phone number is TE 3-3841.



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They labeled it a "wonton Bacchanalian feast" and spent the first Christmas of these shores pointedly rejecting joy and doing carpentry. On the second Christmas, several "happy young men" who were found "pitching ye baw, playing, at stool-ball and such like sports in the public streets, caught what-for from Governor Bradford, in person. So the oldest of old-fashioned American Christ-

mases will hardly do for a precedent to be followed in 1965. By 1827, however, Christmas had evolved to the point that an Episcopalian bishop was complaining, "The devil has stolen from us... Christmas, the day of our spiritual redemption and converted it into a day of world festivity, shooting and swearing."

And by 1876 THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, a popular magazine of the time, was lamenting the passing of the old-fashioned English Christmas: "We in America have received many, if not most, of our Christmas customs from our

parent country, 'merric England'; but in England Christmas is no longer the day of games and fine old traditional ceremonies it once was. It is rather that the yule log is burned nowadays... and whereas the Christmas game, in the times of good Queen Bess, lasted for more than a month, a week is all the modern, money-making English can devote to it."

Could it be that this perennial dissatisfaction with present customs and longing for "the old-fashioned Christmas" merely shows the power of this season to evoke nostalgic memories of happy childhood, bygone pleasures, and the joys of Christmas past... The exchange of greeting, the singing of carols, the tree, mistletoe, the festive meal, and the outdoor fun? One last dip into the yellowed, crumbling pages of THE YOUTH'S COMPANION gives an even better reason to wish for a simple celebration of Christmas.

"It is right for us to derive all the innocent pleasure possible from the happy season, not forgetting the while, how solemn and glorious is the event which we thus joyously commemorate, with its beautiful lesson of Love to our fellow man."

Dick Pope, Jr. Heads Fla. Drive For Cancer Funds



DICK POPE, JR., president of Florida Cypress Gardens Association, Inc., and of Cypress Gardens Skis, Inc., has been named voluntary chairman of the 1965 cancer educational and fund-raising Crusade, which will be conducted in April by the Florida Division of the American Cancer Society.

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In accepting the chairmanship of the 1965 educational and fund-raising Cancer Crusade, Pope said, "I have a strong personal reason to help fight the vicious disease of cancer. I want to do what I can to hasten the day when a cure will be found through intensified research. I am convinced that the Society's cancer control programs of public education, research and patient services must, in the meantime, be supported and expanded—to help save more lives."

"I sincerely hope that all Floridians will join with me in this Crusade and that trades and industries, schools and colleges and all special groups and organizations will give their conscientious support in the 1965 Crusade—to help save lives."

"A" Students Guests Of Belle Glade Rotary



Each semester, the Belle Glade Rotary Club has as their guests all "A" students from the ninth thru the twelfth grades.

The group above attended the Club's regular meeting of December 11th. Guests of Rotary Club were A Students of Belle Glade High School from grades 9 through 12. 1st row, l-r, Chip Kaufman, Caridad Blanco, Gary Goggins, Nancy Chancey. 2nd row, Dick Hooker, Sherri Burgess, P. McDaniels, Jimmy Bedsole, Allison Cann, Nancy Wolf.

Glades Committee

Appointed By FF&V

John W. Evans, Oviedo, President of the Florida Fruit & Vegetable Association has announced the appointment of 10 men to serve on committees of the Association during the 1964-65 season. Appointed from this area were: J. W. Altman, Belle Glade; Louis Kirkman, Belle Glade; S. N. Knight, Belle Glade; Robert C. Lee, Belle Glade; E. A. McCabe, Belle Glade; Ray R. Roth, Belle Glade; Billy Rogers, South Bay; Sam Senter, Belle Glade; Fritz Stein, Jr., Belle Glade; George Wedgworth, Belle Glade; Inman W. Weeks, South Bay and Mrs. Ruth S. Wedgworth, Belle Glade.

PUBLIC NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF INTENT TO ANNEX

The City Commission of the City of Belle Glade by ordinance at the regular Commission Meeting, of January 11, 1964, has adopted and includes in the territorial limits of the City of Belle Glade, Florida, real property described as follows:

Begin at a set Rod in concrete base of the South Embankment of State Road No. 89 which marks the Northeast corner of the Belle Glade Truck property in the Southeast quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South Range 12 East for a Point of Beginning, thence southerly along the East boundary of said Truck Company property, a distance of 150 feet to a point, thence, as a right angle, southerly for a distance of 100 feet to a point, thence northerly to the North boundary of said section 14 to a point, thence westerly along said section line to the right of way of State Road No. 89, thence along said right of way to a point of beginning. 15 Acres, more or less.

A Public Hearing on the annexation of the above described property to the City of Belle Glade, will be held January 11, 1975 before the City Commission at 8:00 P.M. in the City Hall for the purpose of hearing objections, if any of interested parties in or near said location.

CITY OF BELLE GLADE
By: Victor Joseph, City Clerk
Pub: Dec. 17, 24, 31, Jan. 7, 1965

TO THE PUBLIC
This is public notice that as of this date, December 17, 1964, I am no longer responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself.
Charles Francis
Pub: Dec. 17, 24, 31, 1964

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An Invitation At Christmas Time

By Lewis Llewellyn
 "Come unto Me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn of Me, for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls."

People laboring under heavy loads attracted the sympathetic attention of the Carpenter from Nazareth.

No doubt, He noticed the straining muscles, the weariness, the physical tiredness bordering on exhaustion of those who were plodding along the road.

But, far more important, He knew the mental, emotional and the spiritual burdens that were weighing down the people were bearing.

The physical loads they would lay down when they reached their destinations. But who was going to help them with those other burdens — the heart-burdens from which they did not know how to find relief?

People still are plodding their weary way through life, burdened with cares. Some have debts that they cannot see how they will ever pay. Some have husbands or wives who are unsympathetic or even unfaithful. Some are faced with other situations from which there seems to be no escape.

To all, Jesus says, "Come to Me, I will give you rest. There is rest for those who will accept His invitation."

"But," some will say, "I don't see how God can help with my problem."

Jesus' disciples felt the same way, one stormy night when they were desperately rowing for shore while the waves were towering over their boat, threatening any moment to send it and them to the bottom of the sea. They called to Him, not knowing what He could do, and He immediately stilled the storm.

He has stilled storms in many lives since that day. And He still can. "Come to Me," and I will give you rest."

Matthew 11:28, 29.



The Orient Can Be Most Interesting

Two Belle Glade ladies, Ruth Wedgworth and Edith Freedlund were pictured last night at the first of the year's Christmas dinner, and their reports of the sessions contains a heap of interesting tidbits.

THAILAND (Formerly Siam)

Edith Freedlund

We visited a Thai Silk Factory and saw women sitting on the floor spinning thread in a most primitive manner. The weaving was done in a large room by young girls sitting before antique wooden looms. They worked twelve hours a day. There was a Showroom where this silk was sold for three dollars a yard. The colors were all exceptionally bright and gay. James H. W. Thompson, an American, has made Thai silk world famous. We visited his home, surrounded by flower gardens of tube roses, asters, and many other flowers. The yard is on a canal, and across this we could see poor wooden houses with colorful pieces of silk hung on lines. There were many American Hostesses to show us around this interesting house. Every room had something of special interest, and there were many pieces of priceless Ming china and paintings. The house was constructed of Teakwood poles and beams. At the doorway of each room was a raised threshold to keep out evil spirits. There was air conditioning in the guest room, but not in Mr. Thompson's bedroom. In front of his house, as in almost all native homes, there is a small Spirit House. You think at first that it is an attractive Bird House up on a pole. Offerings are made to the spirit each day of fruit, sweets, incense and flowers, placed on a table in front of the Shrine. This is to keep the evil spirits away.

We went at 5:30 one evening to witness Thai-style Boxing. There was a mob of people outside, but inside it was only partially filled. We had ring side seats. The young attractive boxers came out wearing colorful satin trunks and white socks rather high up the leg, but leaving the ankles and toes exposed. They held knuckle and prayed for long periods of time. They had a headband on and good luck arm bands. There was music made by drums and pipes. There are five rounds of three minutes each. The boxers use their feet, and are allowed to use their feet to hit the back of the knees, kidneys, and head. The action is fast and disastrous. Almost before you are aware of it, one of the young men is bleeding at the mouth, or knocked out completely, and is carried off on a stretcher. We saw three men knocked out, the last one had blood running down his face and stomach — a gruesome sight. I am glad we did not stay very long. It seemed a shame to see such fine specimens of young men perhaps ruined for life. Later that evening we had a Thai Dinner at the Green Palm Restaurant. This was an older place with a lot of atmosphere. The menu consisted of Prawn Soup, Crisp Fried Noodles, Chicken Curry, Rice, Chilled Mango. It was raining slightly as we went to a new modern hotel nearby which had red carpeting, red drapes, and many ultra-modern furnishings. I preferred our older hotel with oriental decor.

When we made the early morning market Tour, we were called at 6 A. M. and left at 7:30. In a small motor launch we went up the Chao Phraya river for twenty four miles. We met the boats going to Bangkok with their loads of vegetables and fruits of all descriptions — bananas, coconuts, pineapples, papayas,



The Japanese teenager vies with the Am and dress. A few of the Wedgworth-Freedlund group visit a Japanese school.

DON'T DRIVE AFTER HEAVY HOLIDAY MEAL AAA CLUB ADVISES

Planning to forget your waistline during the festive Christmas holidays? Eat all you want, but the East Florida AAA Division warns that the drowsiness that often accompanies a heavy holiday meal does not make for a lot of driving.

The AAA urges motorists to avoid driving too soon after the festive Christmas dinner.

"It is advisable to wait for

at least an hour, even longer after dinner, before driving your car," the motor club said. "A short nap would be a good idea, especially if alcohol has been a part of the meal."

You may call off your diet for that one day without doing great damage to your health, said the AAA, but letting your guard down for one second when you are behind the wheel can be disastrous.

UNCLE DAN from DOOLIE says:

Dear Mister Editor:

The fillers at the country store Saturday night was in the proper frame of mind for the spirit and joy of the Yuletide season. As a general rule most of the sessions contains a heap of it, and, but, and provided, but Saturday night, eventually was taking a stand for peace on earth and goodwill toward men.

Even Ed Doolittle, that has voted the straight Republican ticket for 50 years and still quite got his health back from the Goldwater backslide, was speaking about Democrats in the spirit of Christmas and forgiveness. He said they were all good loyal Americans, but he did go on to say if they didn't quit voting so heavy they were going to ruin the country.

Clem Webster brung up the fine point that they was a difference between Christmas spirit and Christmas joy. Per instant, said Clem, it's getting so you can tell how much folks was enjoying themselves during the Christmas holidays by how many of them gets killed in automobiles, and it looks like they was having more and more enjoyment ever Christmas.

This was the season, claimed Clem, that makes a heap of folks drive so fast and reckless they won't be with us next Christmas. He fingers fast driving equals about half the wrecks and drunk driving the other half. He was of the opinion a good rule of the road, special at Christmas time, was not to get in no hurry and not get your cups and automobile at the same time.

Zeke Grubb reported he had

serious, Mister Editor, the feller at the store was all good church-going, tax-paying, loyal Americans and they wasn't a man amongst them that wouldn't give Uncle Sam the shirt off his back — if Uncle Sam come and took it.

And I am shore all of them joins me in wishing for you and your fine readers and advertisers a MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Yours truly,
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A VISIT FROM St. Nicholas

"Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse; The stockings were hung by the chimney with care, In hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be there; The children were nestled all snug in their beds, While visions of sugar-plums danced in their heads; And Mamma in her 'kerchief, and I in my cap, Had just settled our brains for a long winter's nap; When out on the lawn there arose such a clatter, I sprang from my bed to see what was the matter. Away to the window I flew like a flash, Tore open the shutters and threw up the lash. The moon on the breast of the new-fallen snow, Gave the lustre of midday to objects below; When, what to my wondering eyes should appear, But a miniature sleigh, and eight tiny reindeer, With a little old driver, so lively and quick, I knew in a moment it must be St. Nick. More rapid than eagles his couriers came, And he whistled and shouted and called them by name; 'Now, Dasher! now, Dancer! now Prancer and Vixen! On, Comet! on Comet! on Comet! To the top of the wall, to the top of the wall, How dash away! dash away! dash away!' As dry leaves that before the wild hurricane fly, When they meet with an obstacle, mount to the sky; So up to the house-top the couriers they flew, With the sleigh full of toys, and St. Nicholas, too. And then in a twinkling, I heard on the roof, The prancing and pawing of each little hoof — As I drew in my head, and was turning around, Down the chimney St. Nicholas came with a bound. He was dressed all in fur, from his head to his foot, And his clothes were all tarnished with ashes and soot; A bundle of toys 'neath his arm he had flung, And he looked like a peddler just opening his pack. His eyes — how they twinkled! his dimples, how merry! His cheeks were like roses, his nose like a cherry! His droll little mouth was drawn up like a bow, And the beard of his chin was as white as the snow. The stump of a pipe he held tight in his teeth, And the smoke it encircled his head like a wreath. He had a broad face and a little round belly, That shook when he laughed, like a bowlful of jelly. He was chubby and plump, a right jolly old elf, And I laughed when I saw him, in spite of myself. A wink of his eye and a twist of his head, Soon gave me to know I had nothing to dread. He spoke not a word, but went straight to his work, And filled all the stockings; then turned with a jerk, And laying his finger aside of his nose, And giving a nod, up the chimney he rode; He sprang to his sleigh, to his team gave a whistle, And away they all flew like the down of a thistle. But I heard him exclaim, ere he drove out of sight, 'Happy Christmas to all, and to all a good night!'"

By Dr. Clement Clark Moore



Pete McClelland, Chamber President and Mayor LeBron Williams are visiting with Innkeeper Roger Levesque in the kitchen at the Country Club where Mr. Levesque supervised the preparation of the meal for the visiting Farm Credit group.

Three BG Students Graduate Tuesday From PBJ College

Dr. Benjamin Rogers, Dean of the College of Humanities of Florida Atlantic University, delivered the Commencement Address for the first mid-year graduation at Palm Beach Junior College.

Dr. Rogers is a cum laude

graduate of Harvard where he earned his Ph.D. He served as acting president of Jacksonville University before joining the FAU staff.

Dr. Rogers teaching experience include a private boys' school in Arizona, Florida State University, and a visiting professor during summer sessions at the University of Minnesota. He is active in numerous professional and cultural organizations.

Among the hundred students, who completed their college work and received their degrees in the Dec. 22 exercises were Richard Thomas Chappell and Janet Susan Connell, Belle Glade and Gail Lillian Masonic South Bay.

Dr. Harold C. Manor, president of the Palm Beach Junior College, conferred the degrees and presented the diplomas.

The ceremonies were held in the auditorium at 8 P. M.

Forget self in laboring for mankind — Mary Baker Eddy. All service ranks the same with God. — Robert Browning



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Florida state and local governments to other collected \$1,462,500,000 in taxes and fees during the 1963 fiscal year, 8 percent over the previous year while expenditures of these governments increased 19.3 percent, the Florida State Chamber of Commerce pointed out in its Weekly Business Review released yesterday.

"All taxes collected by the state government, by all cities, counties and districts are included in this total. State-to-state comparisons can be made only by lumping these governments. On this basis, Florida's total ranked 34th among the 50 states. On a per capita basis, however, the average Floridian paid \$265 in these taxes

last year and residents of other states paid a higher figure. "The state-local collections in Florida were made up of \$462,500,000 in all types of property taxes; \$553,700,000 in other taxes generally called consumer taxes; and \$340,100,000 in fees, licenses and miscellaneous general revenue.

"These governments together outspent their receipts by \$321,200,000 with a total general expenditure of \$1,783,700,000 during the year. The federal government supplied about half of the excess spending and the balance was borrowed. "Outstanding debt of these governments in Florida's total of \$2,354,200,000 at the end of

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The Super Market Institute reports 38 grand prize winners of \$1400 each, and 352 second prize winners of \$117 each. Winners were scattered in areas

from Florida to Maine and New York to California.

About 25,000 supermarkets featured the contest which attracted about the same number of entries. Some markets ran out of cards before the week was over.

Entries by bona fide winners were validated by electronic equipment which revealed invisible code marks. Losers who thought they had submitted winning cards were sent letters explaining why they didn't win, a bargain.

Opinions in the food industry were mixed concerning the value of the "Food is a Bargain" promotion.

According to Paul S. Willis, president of the Grocery Manufacturers of America, "We need something for 1965 which will carry on the campaign to con-

vince consumers that food is a bargain."

Our South Florida sugarcane growers would do well to go slow in plans they may have to increase sugarcane plantings at this time.

Washington observers have reported prospects are improving that sometime in the near future, possibly in 1965, Castro will be forced to make a deal with the U. S. that will bring him more or less back into the western fold.

His economy is continuing to go to pieces and the Russians are fed up with him.

It is expected any deal accomplished will be made only on our terms. Castro would have to get out of the Soviet orbit, make some payment for seized U. S. property and give up agitation and sabotage in Latin America.

But I'm inclined to believe Castro would insist, among other things, that the U. S. resume buying some of his sugar at a fixed premium price. How our present sugar allotments policy would be juggled to accommodate re-entry of Cuban sugar into the American market is the question facing further development of our Florida sugar industry.

Because the State Department influences our trade policies when they have a bearing on foreign relations, it is possible we would accede to a Castro demand for help with sugar as one means of weaning him away from dependence on the Russians and their satellites.

At the moment, Castro has little more than sugar to offer in the way of important commodities. The Cuban sugar harvest in the coming year is expected to total 5 million or more tons, largely because of favorable weather. That's a big increase from the 3.3 million tons of 1963, an all-time low. We used to take an average of about 4 percent of the Cuban production.

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And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David,

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that while they were there, the days were accomplished, that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for behold, I bring you good tidings of a great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God, and saying,

Glorify to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known to us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger. And when they had the message of that Christ, seen it, they made known as was one of love — a love which, which love, that transcends all, was told them concerning human understanding and this child.

And all they that heard it wondered at those things, which were told them by the shepherds.

Almost 2,000 years have passed since the occurrence of the events described by Luke in his Gospel narrative, yet man still listens in wonder at "those things which were told them by the shepherds."

That wondrous message given to us by the humble shepherds through the Scriptures is not merely the account of the birth of a Child to an obscure carpenter's wife in a remote little Judean village; it is the promise of a hope fulfilled, a promise kept, and the culmination of years of faithful waiting by the children of Israel.

With the angels' choirs upon that starry night came the joyful news that a Saviour had indeed been born, as foretold by the prophets, one whose name would be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the mighty God, the Prince of Peace.

But even more than being the announcement of a long-awaited historical event, the message of that Christ, seen it, they made known as was one of love — a love which, which love, that transcends all, was told them concerning human understanding and this child.

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Miss Vida Hardee left Belle Glade Dec. 20 to visit relatives in Trenton, Fla., during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jones and children will spend Christmas with her parents in Williston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jones of Dothan, Ala., have returned for the winter and spring season. They spent most of the

summer and fall in New York state.

Mrs. Will Ulm accompanied by her sons, Roy and Bud Hayes, attended the graduation of her son, Don Hayes at Florida State University, Tallahassee Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Ruth White of Scranton, Penn., arrived Saturday to spend the holidays with her son and family, The Fred Whites and to attend her grand daughter, Cathy White's wedding on Dec. 26. Arriving Christmas eve will be Mrs. White's mother, Mrs. Catherine Whipple and her aunt, Mrs. Jean Blas from Neptune Beach, Fla., for Christmas and the wedding.

Mrs. Rosa V. Cook is visiting relatives in Lake Wales.

Mrs. Jane Young, student at University of Florida and her brother, Chappy Young, who is attending high school in Gainesville, arrived home Saturday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Young.

Beware lest you lose the substance by grasping at the shadow. —Aesop

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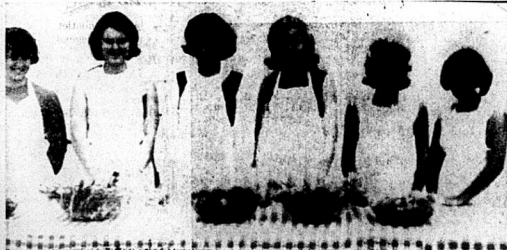
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"The termination on December 31 of Public Law 78, under which thousands of Mexican nationals entered the United States yearly to work on farms—

Secretary Wirtz said, "makes it mandatory that we re-examine closely all sources of domestic farm labor. We have an obligation to assist agricultural employers to obtain temporary farm workers, and we will do this through the recruitment of American workers.

To accomplish this goal, there must be an intense effort, closely integrated at all levels—local, state, regional and national—to recruit sufficient workers to fill all seasonal agricultural jobs.

To achieve this objective, I have directed that the Department's Bureau of Employment Security and its Farm Labor Service work with affiliated State Employment Agencies to create an emergency task force for the recruitment of domestic farm workers. We plan to establish 12 mobile teams, each composed of eight members, to begin the recruiting program. These teams will be organized with Labor Department personnel from national and regional offices supplementing State Employment Service personnel. Initially four of the teams will be based in California, four in Florida, three in Texas, and one in Arizona.

According to the Secretary, state agencies involved are being requested to schedule meetings immediately with individual employers and employer associations whom they expect to request workers during the next few months.

These meetings will be to discuss and develop detailed job orders for domestic workers, and to reach agreements with regard to wages, transportation, housing and other working conditions.

Following these employer meetings, each task force team will plan and carry out drives to attract and recruit every possible local worker.

Representatives of the teams, after obtaining job orders, will band together in new teams to move into those states which traditionally supply farm workers to recruit workers to fill employer needs in demand states.

Secretary Wirtz explained that, "This plan uses the facilities of all the states to meet the seasonal labor needs of their sister states. It focuses the ability of the network of more than 1800 public employment services offices upon the problem of temporary farm labor supplied in specific areas at a specific time.

"The federal-state employment service system is determined to assist in every way possible to meet seasonal farm labor demands. The success of our efforts will depend upon the willingness of our employers to offer attractive wages and working conditions, and of the willingness and availability of qualified domestic workers to take agricultural jobs."

PBC Health Dept. Presents 10 Year Service Awards

The following persons were awarded 10 year service pins for 10 years of continuous, meritorious employment with the Palm Beach County Health Department:

C. L. Brumback, M. D., Director, Palm Beach County Health Department;

Joseph C. Alvarez, Program Coordinator;

Dr. Dwight D. Lichty, Director of Veterinary Division;

Mr. Lee N. Reed, Sr., Sanitation Division;

Miss Ruth Ranson, Nursing Division Director;

Mrs. Beatie Dyett, Nursing Division;

Mrs. Delphia Preston, Nursing Division;

Astrid Reindel, Nursing Division - retired;

Clara C. Ward, Nursing Division - Delray;

JANE PLUMMER, Nursing Division, Pahokee Health Center;

IVORY REYNOLDS, Nursing Division, Belle Glade Health Center;

Mrs. Rosa P. Kettler, Secretary to Director;

AMY GECKLER, Clerical Staff at Pahokee Health Center;

Miss Virgie Allen, Vital Statistics Division;

Mrs. Helen Horne, Business Administrator - resigned.

These awards were presented by Mr. Edward Bandlow, Chairman of the Palm Beach County Board of Commissioners at a special ceremony which was held as a part of the regular monthly staff meeting of the Health Department employees.

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Legend of the Bells

Many years ago, in the little town of Locon, Holland, there hung in the church tower two fine bells. Their clear tones gave comfort to all who heard them.

However, these bells had never been baptized, and one night, so the story goes, they disappeared from the church tower. The sorrowing townspeople searched everywhere, but the bells could not be found.

On the Eve of Christmas, the people longed for the joyous sound of the bells — proclaiming the Christmas spirit. Then, precisely at midnight, bell-like tones were heard through the snowy night. They seemed to be coming from a nearby pond.

Though the bells themselves were never found, each Christmas Eve, just at midnight, their chimes rang out over the town and the legend of the bells spread far and abroad.

Other towns, and other countries continued the custom of bell-ringing, and today it has become a beautiful part of the traditional celebration of Christmas.

Elegantly Furnished Lobby Of Country Clubhouse



"This is a most pleasant and comfortable clubhouse" says Mrs. G. H. Rice, who is sitting with her husband, a Haines. City, Florida member of the Federal Farm Credit in Washington, D. C., on their recent trip to the Glades.

Be Alert For Playing Children During Week After Christmas

Motorists are urged by the East Florida AAA Division to be alert for playing youngsters during the week following Christmas.

"The sidewalks and streets will be crowded with children playing with their new Christmas toys," said the AAA. "Such toys might include bicycles, skates, wagons, miniature auto-

mobiles and other mobile gadgets."

The AAA said alertness is especially called for when motorists are driving through residential sections where children may be coasting down inclined streets.

Parents were urged to instruct youngsters with such gifts to stay out of the street

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and wherever possible to play in recreational areas or on the sidewalk.

"A child playing with a new Christmas toy has little time to watch out for passing cars. He is much too fascinated with his play," cautioned the AAA. "It is the responsibility of the motorist to be alert for the youngster."

The East Florida AAA Division said the danger is greatest during the week between Christmas and New Year's Day

Apple Santas Are Tasty, Colorful

Use fresh apples to prepare tasty, colorful apple Santas for Christmas party favors.

To prepare apple Santas, U. S. Department of Agriculture home economists suggests using small, well-formed, shiny red apples for Santa's body. Break toothpicks in half and use them to attach two whole marshmallows at the bottom of each apple for the feet. Use half a marshmallow for each collar, face, hat, and hand. Fashion eyes, nose, buttons, and top for the hat from semi-sweet chocolate pieces.

USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service reports that apples

continue plentiful at southeastern foodstuffs, which means they're a wise choice for use in many ways throughout the holiday season.

Apple crunch is a flavorful dessert suggested by USDA. The recipe for 6 servings calls for 1/4 cup rolled oats, 1/4 cup all-purpose flour, 3/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1/4 cup smooth or crunchy peanut butter, 1/4 cup butter, 6 or 8 medium-sized apples, 1 tablespoon lemon juice,

and 3 tablespoons water.

Combine oats, flour, sugar, and salt. With pastry blender, cut peanut butter and butter into oat mixture. Pare, core, and slice apples into a shallow buttered baking dish and sprinkle with lemon juice and water. Spoon peanut butter mixture over apples and bake in 375-degree oven for about 40 minutes, or until apples are tender. Serve hot or cold with cream, whipped cream, or softened ice cream.

Don't Confuse Christmas Lights Near Downtown Intersections With Traffic Signals, AAA Cautions

Close proximity of illuminated Christmas decorations to traffic signals in business areas often creates a hazard to safety, the East Florida AAA Division said today.

The AAA urged motorists to take extra caution at intersections, explaining that it had received reports of festive lights "interfering" with the effectiveness of traffic signals. In some cases, it said, Christmas lights are fastened to signal posts and the closeness of the decorations to traffic lights many times is confusing to the driver.

Approach intersections slowly and take a good "head" on the lights, the East Florida AAA Division suggests.



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The Holly Legend

Even before the Christians, Romans sent gifts of holly to friends to mark the December festival of Saturn. The superstitious Druids kept holly in their dwellings, as an invitation to the "spirits" to enter and seek shelter from winter cold and winter winds. The early Germans used holly in an observance which marked the return of the sun from its southward pilgrimage.

Holly, like mistletoe, is surrounded by legends and superstitions, dating back to pagan rites and rituals.

Today there is no particular significance to our use of holly as a Christmas decoration — other than it is "traditional" and "pretty."

Yet, we use so much more holly than our ancestors did, that today the plant has all but disappeared.



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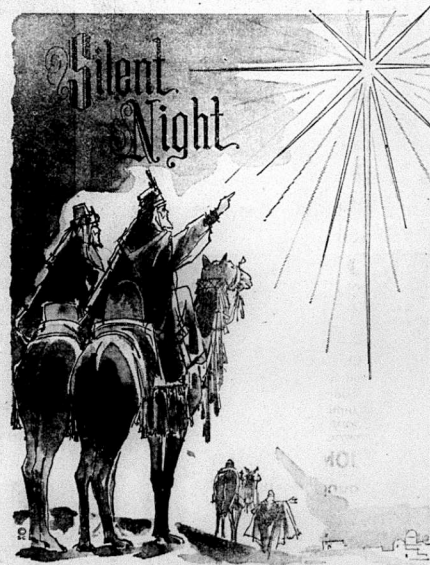
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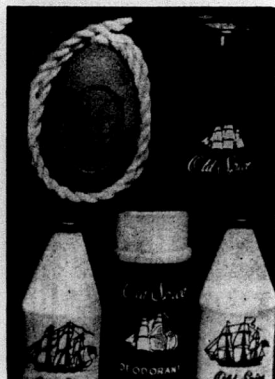
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OLD SANTA HAS MANY NAMES

The giving of gifts, since the Wise Men and shepherds brought gifts to the Holy Child, is traditional to this present day. But Santa's name differs from country to country. POLAND has Mother Star who brings the gifts, for Father Star is to be feared.

In HOLLAND it is St. Nicholas who distributes gifts in children's shoes near the chimney. To the SWISS the gifts are brought by an Angel who rides in a sleigh drawn by 5 reindeer. The ENGLISH await Father Christmas. The SPANISH wait for the bearing of gifts from the traditional Three Wise Men. ITALIANS receive their gifts from "La Befana" who carries a broom and goes from house to house in search of the Christ Child.

St. Lucie Inlet Channel Being Dredged

Army Engineers in Jacksonville today announced the award of two civil works contracts costing a total of \$220,300. A \$24,000 contract was awarded to J. B. Fraser & Sons, Inc., of Fort Lauderdale for lease of a 12-inch dredge and operating personnel to deepen the entrance channel for St. Lucie Inlet just east of Stuart.

The contract calls for dredging the oceanward end of the channel which now restricts vessel traffic through the inlet. Existing depths across the shoal are four to five feet. The oceanward end of the channel will be

dredged to 200 feet wide and 10 feet deep over a distance of 600 feet and the inner entrance will be 6 by 100 feet over the remaining 400-foot length of the shoal. Inner sections of the channel beyond the 1,000 feet are deep enough to permit boat traffic without additional dredging, Army Engineers said.

Reynolds and Smith, Inc., of Moore Haven, Fla., won a \$185,000 contract for construction of the last remaining section of Levee 28 in western Dade and Broward Counties and a tie-back levee extending into Collier County. Total length of the

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Holiday Inn On Opening Date Schedule



Owners and Operators studying last minute details of plans with Builders. L to R Roger Levesque, Innkeeper, Milton Barry and Claude Jones (Warren Spahn not present), owners, and Joseph F. Quakemeyer, representing Daniel Construction Co.



The two-story north wing (facing South) showing the outside walkways on both upper and first-floor. There are 80 units in this phase of the modern Motel complex. Decorative variegated color brick facing, shown on the left or west side of the building.

"We will turn the buildings over to the decorators and furnishers on January 15th" and Mr. Quakemeyer of Daniel Construction Co.

"Nothing seems to be in the

way of our schedule opening taking place on February 1st," says Mr. Levesque, Innkeeper. "Mr. Barry and Mr. Jones tells us that Warren Spahn will be present and will bring as his guests a number of baseball's greats, fellow players and associates in the Big Leagues."

The central building houses the Foyer, offices, coffee room, dining room and Lounge and an auditorium that will seat 200 folks comfortably.

The dining room seats 84, the coffee room 55, the lounge 55, with a steam bath convenient

to present and planned rooms. In the Foyer there is a wall to be devoted to a display of Spahn's trophies won in his professional ball career.

The completion of this phase of the total planned facilities will add to the prestige of Glades offerings to those who want a "home-away-from-home," overnight or for a longer spell.

The dining, coffee rooms and lounge under the management of Innkeeper Levesque will be a welcome addition to the Glades.

Today's MEDITATION

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The Upper Room

"To you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord." — Luke 2:11. (rsv)

Christmas should be a joyous season for everyone, although I have heard some people say, "Christmas is for children." Presents and Santa Claus do have special meaning for our little children, but young and old alike delight in receiving presents.

Christmas is a time for beautiful carols, for family gatherings, and holiday parties. Above all, it is a time for remembering the coming of God into the world in the person of Jesus Christ, the child of Bethlehem.

Shepherds and wise men were among those who first gave homage to the newborn King. Few others knew anything about the Child who was to grow in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man.

This Christmas day, let us join the shepherds, the wise men, the disciples, the saints of the ages, in paying homage to Christ. Let us come and adore Him who is Christ the Lord.

PRAYER: O Christ, come into my heart and take Thy rightful place on the throne of my life. Teach me to serve Thee faithfully, with joy and thanksgiving, today and evermore. In Thy holy name I ask. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
What gift can I give the King of kings? I can give Him my life and faithful service.
Donald G. Emiler (Indiana)

O Holy Night



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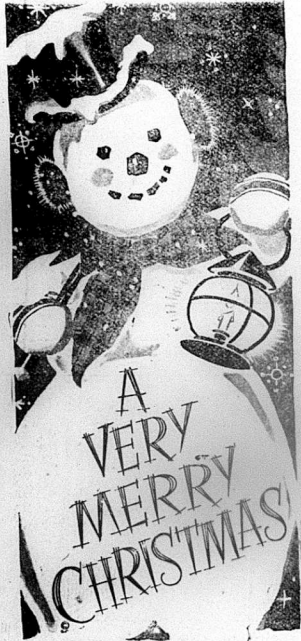
PAHOKEE

Jazz At Norton Features Swing Sunday, Dec. 27th

The first in Art Dunklin's Theatre, featuring music that "Jazz at the Norton" series will be in vogue during the '30's and '40's. Sunday, December 27 at 8 p. m., Norton Gallery. E. R. Hunter, director of the

Norton Gallery, announced that SWING! will be under the direction of Bob Brooman who will lead a large swing band and serve as master of ceremonies. In the tradition of Benny Goodman and Glenn Miller, the band will play such selections as "Don't Be That Way," "Roll Em," "String of Pearls," "Little Brown Jug" and "One O'Clock Jump." Brooman, an outstanding jazz musician, and known in the community for his extensive knowledge of music, said, "While swing music is not true jazz there is much that allows for freedom of improvisation, as in the jazz tradition."

Admission to the jazz concerts may be obtained by becoming a member of the Norton Gallery. For membership information, call Mrs. Hickman; or for individual tickets, call Miss Baldwin, TE 2-5194.



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Ralena Urury

Ralena Urury, 11, whose 4-H achievements were so outstanding this year they earned her a free trip to 4-H Camp at Camp Cloverleaf, Lake Placid, has received a merit award from the Dairy Council of South Florida. Ralena, a seventh grader in Pahokee Junior High School, won blue ribbons from the County Council for two of her projects and medals and county awards for participating in the Dress Revue at County Fair.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Urury, Lakeshore drive, Canal Point, is president of the Dairy Council of South Florida. The Dairy Council has an outstanding program to honor school age young people in Palm Beach County. Nominations can be sent to Sip Taylor, 5 Coconut Row, Palm Beach.



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Club Urges Youngsters To Study Cycling Rules

Thousands of youngsters will receive bicycles as Christmas presents this year, the East Florida AAA Division predicted today in urging fledgling cyclists to study the bicycle safety rules before venturing into the street.

"Last year, 570 persons were killed in motor vehicle collisions with bicycles—an increase of 14 per cent over the previous year," the AAA said. "Many of these accidents could have been prevented if all of these bike riders had been familiar with the bicycle safety rules."

"Copies of the safety rules may be obtained from your local AAA motor club. Why not present a copy of the rules to your youngsters along with their new bicycle?"

The AAA listed the following tips to Christmas cyclists:

1. Learn to ride in a safe place. Keep off busy streets until you can ride well.
2. Obey all traffic signs. They apply to you as well as to automobile drivers.
3. A bell, horn, or other warning device is a necessary part of your bicycle equipment.
4. A red tail light or red reflector is required on the rear and a white light in front, when riding at night.
5. Arm signals must be given before turning or stopping.
6. Pedestrians must be given the "right of way" by riders.
7. O. L. one rider per bicycle. Two or a bike is dangerous and unlawful.
8. Crossing into streets from backways is dangerous.
9. Do not drink when riding past parked cars. Watch for opening doors.
10. Hitching on to moving vehicles is unlawful and unsafe.
11. Use both hands to steer your bicycle. Riding with one hand or "no hands" is risky and foolish.
12. Keep to the right — close

Giving your son or daughter a new bicycle for Christmas this year? The East Florida AAA Division advises you to present also a copy of the AAA safe cycling rules. Riding a bicycle in traffic requires a knowledge of traffic laws as well as safe bicycling habits. Urge your youngster to familiarize himself with these rules. Copies may be obtained at your local AAA club.

to the curb. Never ride facing traffic.

13. Be especially careful in rainy weather. It is easy to skid on wet streets. Watch also for deep car tracks and ruts in the road.

14. Wear white or light-colored clothing when riding at night.

The AAA reminded youngsters that ownership of a bicycle carries with it certain responsibilities, adding that courtesy toward other users of the road is probably the most important.

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HERE and THERE..... During the Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wilson left Wednesday for Fig, North Carolina to spend Christmas with her son, Carlton McNeill and her father, Mr. Fred Graybeal, who is a patient in North Carolina Sanitarium. They will also be guests of Mr. Wilson's mother, Mrs. C. J. Wilson in Charleston, South Carolina.

Mrs. Lois Bridges from Danielsville, Ga., is spending several days, visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sheridan and children, Frankie and Angie.

Mrs. F. S. Brannon returned Monday to be at home in New Synama Beach for the Christmas holidays after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnold and son, since last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eason will be visiting.

Mrs. Lois Ruff and son, Charles, left Monday to spend Christmas vacation with her brother's and sisters in Huntington, West Virginia.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McClure arriving on the weekend to spend Christmas with them are Mr. and Mrs. Willard Tarash from Hialeah, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nutt and daughter, Cynthia left Saturday A. M. to spend the holidays in Centre, Alabama, their former home. Their daughter, Miss Johnnie Nutt, student at Auburn University will join them.

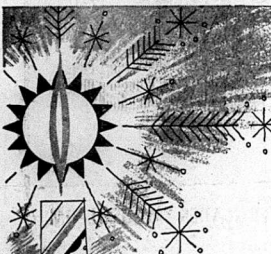
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Darrow, Jr., and daughter Angela are spending the Christmas holidays with his mother in Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. Darrow's folks in Guthrie, Kentucky.



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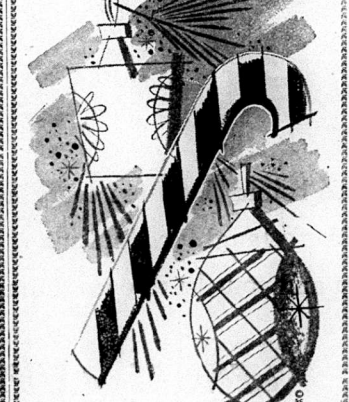
The marriage of Miss Loretta Ernestine Barfield and Jesse Larry Pate was solemnized at the First Independent Missionary Baptist Church of Chosen, standing beneath an arbor entwined with fern and white mums, at 2 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 13.

The Rev. Horace Burgner officiated until the bride was given in marriage by father, Rev. Reuben Barfield, of Pahokee who performed the rest of the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barfield of Pahokee; the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pate of Belle Glade.

Traditional wedding music was presented by Mrs. Charles Mask, pianist, and her two daughters, Misses Paula and Virginia Mask as vocalists.

The bride wore a formal gown of white Chantilly lace and satin. The fitted bodice featured a scalloped neckline and long sleeves, pointed at the wrists. The skirt fashioned with six tiers of scalloped lace ended in a chapel train. Her shoulder length veil of French illusion was held by a small-satin pillbox, sprinkled with seed pearls. She carried a white satin cover.



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Miss Phyllis Rae Buss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow H. Buss, Belle Glade, became the bride of Herschel Kelly Flannery, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel K. Flannery, Sr., of Newport, Ky., in a 6:30 o'clock ceremony Saturday, Dec. 19, in the Madison Church of the Nazarene, Madison, Kentucky.

Rev. A. George Pitzer performed the candlelight ceremony in a setting of palms, seven branch candelabras and single, cathedral candles with a central arrangement of white gladioli and mums.

Mr. Myron Wise, Nashville, Tenn., and Miss Lynda Boyles, Arvin, Calif., were vocalists. Mrs. Robert E. Hoyle, Old Hickory, Tenn., was organist.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a floor length white delustrated satin gown with fitted bodice, scoop neckline and long sleeves ending in points. Aileen lace appliques accented the midriff and front skirt. The controlled front skirt featured back fullness sweeping into a chapel train. Her elbow length veil of silk illusion was attached to a crown of Alencon lace, embroidered with pearls and iridescents. She carried a Bible with a cascade of gardenias and sweetheart roses.

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Catherine White

And Wm. D. Burr To Wed Dec. 26

Miss Catherine Lynn White and William DeVore Burr announced plans and attendance for their wedding.

The ceremony will take place December 26 at 8 p. m. at the Community Methodist Church with the Rev. W. R. Board of officiating.

Miss Janice Lee White will be her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Mrs. Robert Benz of Columbus, Ga., and Miss Penny Cartha of Edenton, N. C. Miss Jim McCheslan will be flower girl.

Robbie Burr, of Miami will serve as ringbearer.

Robert Bortz of Columbus, Ga., is to be best man for Mr. Burr. Ushers are Don Elieck, Kenneth Latz and James Mathis of Lake Harbor.

Don Mathis of Lake Harbor will be soloist and Miss Sixteen Motes, organist.

A reception will follow the ceremony in the church parlor. No invitations are being sent. All friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend the wedding and the reception.

The Christmas holiday period is a dangerous time for traffic accidents. The East Florida AAA Division reminds you that December has more darkness hours than any other month of the year. Visibility for both driving and walking is poor and requires special alertness. If you are driving, slow down and be alert to other traffic. If you are walking, wear or carry something white so that you can be seen by motorists in the darkness.

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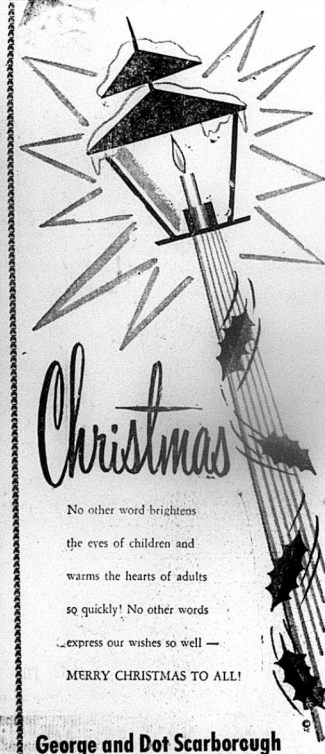
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Recreation Sites Opened By C&SF FCD

Forty-eight recreation sites and Southern Florida Flood Control District. This was announced today by Riley S. Miles of Kissimmee, Chairman of the FCD Government.

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Christmas

No other word brightens
the eyes of children and
warms the hearts of adults
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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

George and Dot Scarborough

ing Board in a year and report on public recreation.

Eleven new boat ramps were constructed in the past year. Miles said. Three of them are in Palm Beach County; three in Broward County; two each in Osceola and Okeechobee Counties; and one in Glades County.

West of Miami, two fish management areas, each three miles long, were recently opened to the public north of Tamiami Trail, just west of Krome Avenue. The so-called "fish ponds" were developed by the State Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission in cooperation with Dade County and the Flood Control District. They are located in the southeastern corner of FCD Conservation Area 3, a short drive west of Miami.

In Dade County three additional boat ramps are to be built by the Game Commission in early 1965 along the Tamiami Trail. They will provide new points of access into the southern end of Conservation Area 3. Another fish management area is also contemplated on the east side of the Conservation Area, along Krome Avenue Extension, near Milton Thompson County Park.

In Broward County, eight recreation sites are now open to the public. They provide access to more than 1,000 square miles of Everglades swamplands and canal systems in FCD Conservation Areas 2 and 3. Currently, two larger concession sites are being developed along U. S. Highway 27 — one near FCD pumping station 9 on the South New River Canal, seven miles north of the Dade County line; the other north of Andytown on the east side of U. S. 27. Filling and grading of these sites is nearly completed and bids for concession

Mistletoe Mystery

You may have wondered when and where the act of kissing under the mistletoe originated. It derived from an accident pagan marriage rite in England and Ireland. Certain people who thought the mistletoe was sacred, not only kissed under it, but even crushed it to make a juice and drank it as a love potion.

A traffic expert has said that if all the cars in the nation were placed end to end, some fool would pull out and try to pass them.

developments should be advertised in the next few weeks. The Game Commission has up to \$150,000 available for each site, to be matched, on a 50-50 basis by successful bidders. If the full amount is matched by concessionaires, each site will represent a \$300,000 development. They should be open to the public in the first half of 1965.

John Stretch, FCD recreation director, explained that some 20 state and federal agencies, county and city governmental

Santa Claus

Although the names of girls in America are called Santa Claus, other countries have different names for him. In England he is called Father Christmas, and in Germany it is Kris Kringle, in Scandinavia — Yule Tomte, and in France he is given the name Pere Noel. In other countries it is altogether different. Finland believes their holiday patron is a goat and in Italy, a female is the gift bringer.

A pamphlet, "Million Acre Playground," describing recreation areas in southeast Florida, and a map of present and proposed sites throughout the FCD, are available free on request to the FCD, P. O. Box 1671, West Palm Beach, Fla.

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Holiday Menus Call For Broiler-Fryers

Place orders at the top of the list for the main course when planning holiday menus suggests the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Broiler-fryers are plentiful at southeastern foodstores, according to USDA's Agricultural Marketing service, and home-

owners will find them in economic choices throughout December and January.

USDA offers the following recipe for chicken in a puff—a tasty entree for holiday guests. Use one 2½ pound broiler cut-up for 5 to 6 servings. Have ready ½ cup flour, 2 teaspoons

salt, 2 teaspoons paprika, ½ teaspoon pepper, and ½ cup fat. To brown chicken, combine flour, salt, paprika, and pepper in a paper bag. Shake chicken in bag, 2 or 3 pieces at a time, to coat evenly. Save leftover flour for gravy. Brown pieces of chicken slowly in medium hot fat in a skillet, turning brown lightly on all sides, for 15 to 20 minutes. Drain chicken after browning.

Next, prepare egg puff. Ingredients are 1 cup flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, ¾ teaspoon salt, 3 well-beaten eggs, 1 cup milk, and 2 tablespoons melted fat.

Combine flour, baking powder, and salt. Sift together into a bowl, and form a "well" in the center. Blend eggs and milk and pour into the well. Add fat and blend mixture slowly with rotary beater until all flour is moistened. Then, beat thoroughly until batter is smooth. Pour into greased 1½ x 7½ x 1 1/2 inch baking dish.

Arrange chicken on top of batter. Bake at 375 degrees for 45 minutes, or until batter is puffed and brown. Serve hot with hot gravy.



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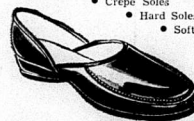
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Menu Ideas Include Fall Harvest Fruits

Apples, cranberries and pears are three fall fruits that add interest to any menu.

Baked apples, apple pie and applesauce are longtime favorites, says Miss Mary Todd, local Extension Home Economist.

Apples also add sparkle to salads, breads, cakes, cookies and puddings. Apple dumplings served with a tangy lemon sauce make a novel dessert. Apple fritters and pork or sausage complement each other nicely. Have you ever served a sweet potato and apple casserole? Just delicious!

Canned cranberry sauce or jelly served with meat or poultry has become a year-round favorite. But don't stop there, continues Miss Todd. Fresh cranberries add color and flavor to quick breads and muffins, puddings and pies, too.

Fresh pears make wonderful salads. Combined with cottage or cream cheese, served on a bed of lettuce with a dash of mint jelly they provide a tasty treat.

Desert time is also pear time. Pear pie or baked pears served with mint jelly and whipped cream is an unusual dessert. Serve broiled pears as an accompaniment to meat, fish or poultry, or as a dessert.

For an informative leaflet write your County Home Demonstration Agent, 531 North Military Trail, West Palm Beach, Florida 33406, and ask for Leaflet 512 "Apples in Appealing Ways."

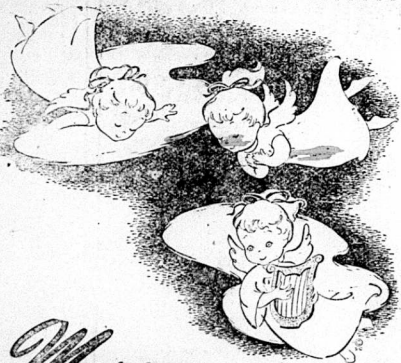
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Basically these products are much alike, all of them are fruit preserved by means of sugar, and usually all are jelled to some extent. Their individual characteristics depend on the kind of fruit used and the way it is prepared, the proportions of different ingredients in the mixtures, and the method of cooking. Mrs. Marylou Shirar, Asst. Home Demonstration Agent, 531 North Military Trail, West Palm Beach, Florida 33406, explains that jelly is made from fruit juice and is clear. Jam is made from crushed or ground fruit and is less

firm than jelly. Conserves are jams made from a mixture of fruits to which raisins and nuts may be added.

Not all fruits have the properties needed for making satisfactory jelled products, but with the commercial pectin the homemaker need not depend on the jellifying quality of the fruit for successful results.

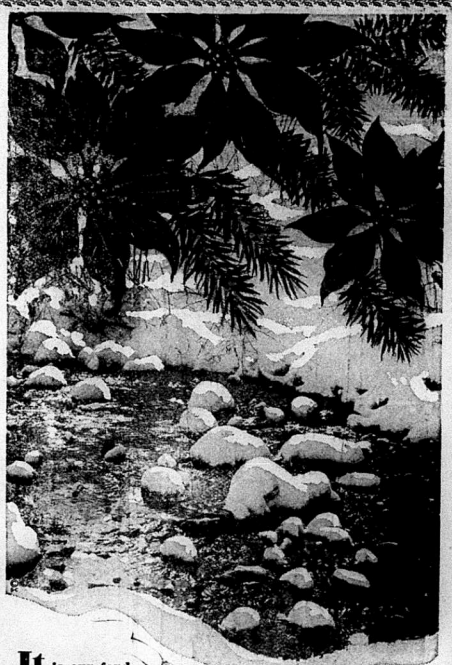
For more information and recipes on how to make various kinds of jellies, jams, preserves and conserves write and ask for the free booklet, "Jellies, Jams and Preserves." The address is: Mrs. Marylou Shirar, Asst. Home Demonstration Agent, 531 North Military Trail, West Palm Beach, Florida 33406.

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Secret Sister Party Held By Chapter

The home of Mrs. Howard Hill, decorated in the holiday theme was the scene of a Secret Sister Party, held by Beta Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

Gifts were exchanged and refreshments of coffee and Christmas cookies were served.

Those present were Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. Garold McKee, Mrs. A. Sanchez, Mrs. Roy Brown, Mrs. Robert Davis, Mrs. James Dooley, Mrs. Harold Gilbert, Mrs. John Grady, Mrs. Donald Jackman, Mrs. Sam Knight, Mrs. Douglas Lee, Mrs. Terry Miller, Mrs. Edward Montalvo, Mrs. William B. Rhodes, Mrs. Carl Waggoner, Mrs. Peter LaChance, and Mrs. Alfred Weber.

Over The Back Fence



The Christmas season is here at last with all the festivities and parties. In case you haven't heard there is a dance New Year's Eve. About the private parties just ask Paul L. or the Baptists' Youths.

Max O. does not have a girl now. Girls get busy.

Peggy P., do you really like Pahokee better than Belle Glade? It's been reported you.

Have you seen Mrs. Stevenson's room? The Christmas art work is in the spirit of things.

Bruce B. and two other boys



LEGENDS SURROUND PLANTS AND FLOWERS AT CHRISTMAS

Everyone knows that mistletoe is traditionally hung at Christmastime, but few know the reason why, or the reasons behind the usage of many other plants and flowers during the holiday season. Mistletoe was first used in pagan rites; an old Scandinavian myth relates that Loki, the god of Evil, killed Balder, the god of Spring, with a mistletoe arrow. Balder's life was restored, and in gratitude, his mother, Friga, decreed that mistletoe should never be used as a weapon again and promised to kiss anyone who passed beneath the plant. The Victorian English later introduced the custom of kissing under the mistletoe at Christmas.

The poinsettia has long been associated with the Yule season and has a beautiful story behind it. The legend tells of a poor young girl who longed to present a gift to the mother of Jesus but having nothing of value, picked a handful of weeds to present to Mary. As she presented her humble gift, the weeds were suddenly transformed into huge scarlet blooms, and thus was born the Christmas poinsettia.

Of course, the most beloved holiday decoration is the Christmas tree. A charming folk-tale from Germany tells how this tradition began: a poor wood-cutter lived deep in the forest with his wife and young son. One stormy Christmas Eve, as they were eating their dinner meal, they heard a knock at the door. They opened it to discover a cold and hungry little boy outside. They welcomed him into their home, sharing their simple meal with him. The wood-cutter's son even insisted on giving up his bed so that the pitiful child might have a good night's rest. In the morning, the family was awakened by the singing of angels and found that their mysterious guest was none other than the Child Jesus. "I have accepted your gifts, and here is Mine to you," the Child said, breaking off a branch from a fir tree and placing it in the ground. "This shall always bear its fruit at Christmas, and you will always have abundance!" Thus, according to the legend, began the custom of setting up trees within the home at Christmas.

re there every weekend.

We hear Ann W. and Tommy got stuck on the bike. Car trouble, Ann?

Johnny S., Diane L., Petite P., Vickie W., Donald B., and Vicki C., seems to have had their own dance.

Shark, are you trying to be another Casanova? Two dates a night! And you're going steady too.

Have you seen Mrs. Stevenson's room? The Christmas art work is in the spirit of things.

Bruce B. and two other boys

were seen Tuesday night after the football banquet. Throwing eggs maybe?

Could the door to the girls' rest room on the first corridor have lost it's hinges?

Larry B., Buddy G., and Max O., what kind of magazines do you read during English IV? CENSORED.

Sandra F. is wearing Mike M's ring. Is this the real thing, Sandra?

It seems Sandra W. has her Christmas plans complete. You really don't want to stay in Panama, do you?

For your latest college sports news see Larry B. and Wilbur M. They compare notes during second period.

Albert K., why don't you recognize people in the hallway? Are you concentrating on your classes or is your mind in N. Carolina.

Ronny L., Roy B., Bill T., and Sue C., seem to enjoy watching drag races. Who is the leader of the pack?

Tina L. and Roger H. seem to be real friendly. Could this have started on the bus?

We hear the SAT test was an easy cinch. How about that, seniors.

Buddy G. and Jeff A., why don't you leave Mrs. Earwood alone? Does your pencil always need sharpening in the middle of her lectures.

Joyce R. are you an artist? Sandra R., Sharon A., and Gwen G. can testify that you are.

MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR see you next year.

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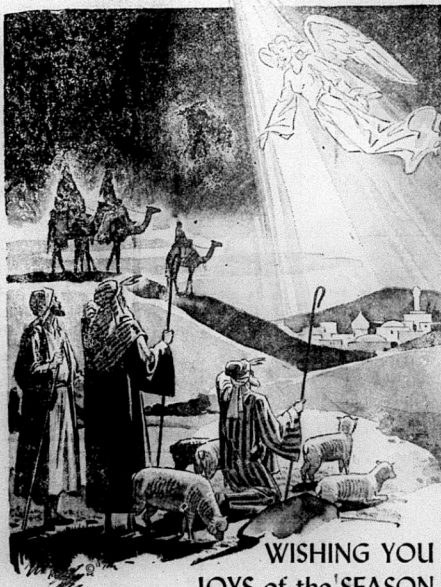
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1-r. front are Jimmy Sullivan, David Williams and Mike Trammell (bending over) Gene Kicklighter and Fred Davis. In the back facing front are 1-r. Zane Miller, Larry Campbell, Far right, Jerry Croft and Don Campbell with backs this way, sitting with a customer, Mr. Jim Ratcoe.

The barbecue was a huge success. The proceeds are to be used for Chapter activities.

PB Jr. College Offers University Credits

The Belle Glade Herald

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Seventeen university credit courses for teachers are being offered in Lake Worth during Trimester II through the Florida Institute for Continuing University Studies (FICUS).

Robert P. Owens, administrator of the FICUS Palm Beach-Broward Center, announced today the schedule for the courses to be given by Florida's state universities. All courses will be held at Palm Beach Jr. College.

EDAS 500, The Organization and Administration of American Education, Florida Atlantic University residence credit, taught by Dr. Forrest W. Murphy, Mondays from 7 to 10 p. m. beginning Jan. 11.

EDAS 503, The Organization and Administration of the Community College, FAU residence credit, taught by Dr. Francis C. Rosenkrantz, Wednesdays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 13.

EDAS 504, The Administration and Pupil Personnel Services, FAU residence credit,

taught by Mr. William Meredith, Wednesdays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 13.

EDAS 509, Seminar in School Administration, FAU residence credit, taught by Dr. Ernest Melby, Mondays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 11.

EDCI 500, Understanding the Curriculum: Public School, FAU residence credit, taught by Dr. William K. Stosberg, Tuesdays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 12.

EDCI 504, Understanding the Curriculum: Elementary School, FAU residence credit, taught by Dr. William K. Stosberg, Tuesdays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 12.

EDEB, Exceptional Behavior,

FAU residence credit, taught by Mr. Robert N. Prouty, Wednesdays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 13.

EDG 582, Techniques of Guidance, FAU residence credit, taught by Dr. Francis C. Rosenkrantz, Mondays from 7 to 10 p. m. beginning Jan. 11.

EDG 583, Occupational and Educational Information, FAU residence credit, taught by Dr. Mary Furey, Wednesdays from 7 to 10 p. m. beginning Jan. 13.

EDG 585, The Counseling Relationship II, FAU residence credit, taught by Mr. Stanley Lynch, Thursdays from 7 to 10 p. m. beginning Jan. 14.

EDG 586, Seminar in Guidance and Personnel Work, FAU residence credit, taught by Mr. Stanley Lynch, Fridays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 15.

EDHB 511, Theories of Behavior II, FAU residence credit, taught by Mr. Homer Howard, Tuesdays from 7 to 10 p. m. beginning Jan. 12.

EDHB 580, Classical and Contemporary Philosophies of Education, FAU residence credit, taught by Mr. Homer Howard, Wednesdays from 7 to 10 p. m. beginning Jan. 13.

EDMS 513, Exploring Mathematics: Junior High School I, FAU residence credit, taught by Mr. William Fitzgerald, Thursdays from 7 to 10 p. m. beginning Jan. 14.

IAS 325, Advanced Auto Mechanics, WSU extension credit, taught by Mr. Charles Connell, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7 to 9 p. m. beginning Jan. 14 and the Lake Worth High

School Automotive Shop. LS 315, Introduction to Materials for Children, FSU extension credit, taught by Mrs. Elva Grow, Tuesdays from 4 to 7 p. m. beginning Jan. 12.

Registration deadline for the courses is Jan. 5 and a late fee will be assessed. Registrations submitted to FICUS after that date.

Timely Tips For Busy Holiday Hostess

Planning successful holiday menus can be simple if a few basic points are remembered, comments Miss Mary Todd, local Extension Home Economist.

First of all, plan the menu carefully. Two types of menus that can be considered are: a menu that is easily prepared the day of serving; or a menu that can be prepared the day before, refrigerated and completed on the serving day.

Second, do not experiment with new recipes when you are getting ready to serve guests. If you want to serve something completely different, take time to prepare it for your family first.

Most homemakers have favorite recipes that they take pride in preparing and these make excellent menus for guests.

Third, plan your market order properly. This cannot be done in a hurry, cautions Miss Todd. Careless planning can result in unnecessary trips to the market.

If you are not accustomed to serving a larger group of people a fourth point may help. Write down your schedule for preparation. That is, list when food should be prepared. If the oven is to be used, list the temperature and baking time required. When you write down your schedule of preparation you will note where procedures overlap and can adjust your menu while it is still in the planning stage.

If someone is helping you, decide who will do what to avoid unnecessary confusion. In most instances it is best not to have too many helpers in the kitchen. This will depend, of course, on the size of the kitchen and complexity of the menu.

Hunting Harvest For Dec. 7-13 In Everglades

The below listings are hunting season game harvest reports from the five Everglades Region Wildlife Management Areas for week of Dec. 7-13.

KEECHOBEE, Kechobee County: Two turkeys, 32 quail, one hog; hunting pressure low.

CORBETT, Palm Beach County: Five deer, five turkeys, 35 quail, 15 waterfowl, 11 hogs; hunting pressure low.

EVERGLADES, Palm Beach, Broward and Dade Counties: 20 deer, 150 waterfowl, four hogs; hunting pressure low.

DEVIL'S GARDEN, Henry County: one deer, 130 quail, one squirrel, ten waterfowl, two hogs; hunting pressure average.

AEROJET, Dade County: No kill reported.

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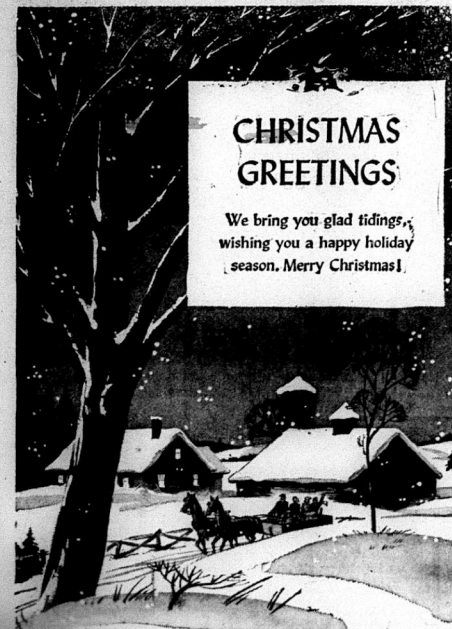


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Miami Enrolls 2,000 In Youth Corps

An additional 17 Neighborhood Youth Corps projects were slated for approval by Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz, forwarded to 15 state Governors for final review. These new projects, located in 15 states, will provide community service jobs and work experience for 22,220 young men and women 16 through 21 years of age. They bring the total Neighborhood Youth Corps projects to 31 in 23 states. These projects will provide help to 33,825 young people at a total cost of \$19,643,000.

"There is," Secretary Wirtz said, "no more vital group in the American society today than our young people, too many of whom are on not just one-way streets, but on dead-end streets. Life isn't leading any place right now for about 750,000 American boys and girls. Through the Neighborhood Youth Corps we are trying to change this. We believe that these programs will provide another chance, probably the last, best, clear chance for 150,000 boys and girls in the next year who face right now the choice between getting some work experience or spending their lives in the back streets and alleys of our economic life."

The Neighborhood Youth Corps is designed to place unemployed youth from low income families in part-time jobs which will enable them to stay in school or return to school, or in jobs of up to 32 hours per week where they will receive constructive and rewarding work experience that will increase their employability.

The 17 projects will provide 12,220 young men and women with part-time employment, which will allow them to remain in school, and 10,160 youngsters with nearly

full-time work to better prepare them for their role in society.

The 17 new projects will receive \$12,075,000 in Federal funds, administered by the Neighborhood Youth Corps of the U. S. Department of Labor. The funds are made available under the Economic Opportu-

nity Act of 1964. The total cost of the projects is \$14,504,000. Funds not contributed by the Federal Government will be made available by the local sponsor in cash or kind.

The sponsoring organizations will provide the enrollees work supervision, counseling, testing, remedial education, occupation-

al training, job referral and placement, and other services considered necessary to the success of the project and which will contribute to the employability of the enrollees.

Miami has 2,000 enrollees, all in school, at a total estimated cost of \$805,000 with Uncle paying \$545,000.

SANTA INSPIRES WRITINGS

That jolly old gentleman called Santa has become as much a part of Christmas as the beloved tree, and with good reason — he is celebrated in poems and other writings familiar to us all.

One of the most famous poems ever written concerns a Christmas Eve call by Santa, as described in "A Visit from St. Nicholas" by Dr. Clement Clark Moore. Since the penning of that delightful poem in 1822, it has been reproduced countless times and is a holiday tradition in itself.



WHAT AN INDEX
"If you were marooned on a desert island, and could have only one book to read, what would you take?" asked the author of a glamorous redhead at a literary cocktail party. "A tattooed sailor," snapped back the beauty.

Santa was also the inspiration for a very famous piece of journalism, the editorial, "Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus," written by Frank P. Church of the New York Sun in 1897. It answered a now-famous letter to the editor, as posed by a little girl, Virginia O'Hanlon, who was disturbed by reports that Santa didn't really exist. Church not only answered Virginia's question, he penned a classic tribute to Santa Claus that is still reprinted every holiday as part of the Christmas tradition.

The character of Santa was also the source for a popular motion picture of many years ago, "The Miracle on 34th Street." This screenplay was recently adapted to the stage and was a great success on Broadway as the musical, "Here's Love."

Then, too, Christmas cards have become Santa's "calling cards" to a very marked degree. To the card-designer St. Nick assumes many personalities — jovial, humorous, fatherly, mischievous — to enliven the houses all over the world. On the Christmas card Santa becomes highly decorative, indeed, in all his many guises.

And we mustn't forget the thousands of letters written by tiny tots, lovingly telling Santa of their special wishes and dreams — if Santa does exist, these surely must be his favorite Christmas mail of all!

In Service



Michael Zumpi

Arriving home for the Christmas and New Year holidays is Michael James Zumpi, who graduated on Dec. 11 from Great Lakes Training Center.

He, Michael Belle Glade, entered the Navy on Aug. 1964.

Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zumpi, Belle Glade. He says he likes the Navy and will be in the electronic field. On Jan. 5 he will report for active duty at the Naval Station at Memphis, Tenn., and after 32 weeks of duty will enter Aviation Electronics training school which starts Aug. 16, 1965. After completing the school he will be an Aviation Electronics Technician.

Kmas Stockings

Hanging up stockings on Christmas Eve is a more celebrated custom than most, but in Holland the manner is a little different. Wooden shoes are placed by the fire place, and on the night before Christmas when St. Nicholas came, he would fill the shoes with either switches or goodies, according to the behavior of the child.

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'A Christmas Carol'

Few stories so completely express the true spirit of Christmas as does the classic tale of "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens.



The story tells of the spiritual rebirth of a miserly, mean old man and the eventual happiness he helped bring to others.

The familiar telling of the story of Scrooge, the three ghosts, Tiny Tim and the others — has become a veritable classic.

Dickens wrote the "Carol" in 1843 and it was first published in London shortly before Christmas.

Its reception was spontaneous and great; soon its fame spread around the world and it was printed in many languages.

None of the other Dickens essays that Dickens wrote caught the public's fancy as did this one of Old Scrooge and Tiny Tim whose wish to all was — "God Bless Us Every One."

Not only is this story read at Christmas time within family groups, in school rooms and at religious gatherings, but Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" has been retold by famous actors; the "Carol" has also become an annual presentation on radio and television.

Children Everywhere Welcome Christmas

Ask any youngster in any Christian country what his favorite holiday is — the answer — CHRISTMAS!

Although the date may vary, and observances may be a little bit different, in every Christmas celebration, this particular holiday means gifts for the children and extra festivities in the home.

In Spain for example, The Three Kings — Gaspar, Melchior and Balthazar — bring the kiddies sweets and treats on the eve of Epiphany.

In preparation for the arrival of the Kings, the children stuff their shoes with straw and leave them outside for the Wise Men. In the morning, the children find that the Wise Men's horses have eaten the straw, and in its stead are gifts of all kinds.

In Italy, youngsters also receive their gifts on Epiphany. However, the bearer is a little woman who is named "La Befana." She carries gifts for the good little children and leaves charcoal for the bad ones.

According to the legend, it is said that when the Wise Men first set out to seek the Christ Child, they asked La Befana to go with them. She refused because she was too busy. She later decided to go to Bethlehem herself, but got lost along the way. So now as then, "La Befana" still seeks the Infant Jesus.



In Switzerland, the Christ Child Himself delivers gifts to the children. He comes on Christmas Eve in a sleigh drawn by six reindeer. The gifts He carries are toys, nuts, sweets and cakes.

Then, after carols are sung, and the story of the Nativity told by father, the children open their gifts. Later, groups of boys and girls go about singing, rodeling and tinkling cowbells. As they go from house to house, they are given gifts by friendly neighbors.

In many provinces of France, shoes are set by the fireplace by the young children of the family in anticipation of the Christ Child's arrival on Christmas Eve. He fills their shoes with toys and sweets.

In other parts of France and Lorraine, boys and girls hang their stockings by the fireplace on the Eve of St. Nicholas and pray the good Saint will remember them.

St. Nicholas is the giver of gifts for Dutch children, too. They believe that the Saint comes riding through the air on a white horse and jumps from rooftop to rooftop. As he slips down each chimney, he fills shoes and baskets with all sorts of goodies to delight the youngsters.



Children of Sweden get their gifts at Christmas time from the Yulbock or Yule goat, who is supposed to throw their gifts to them through their front doors.

The gifts are always wrapped in plain paper and bear bright red wax seals with a humorous verse attached to it.

In the Latin-American countries, many of the Spanish customs prevail. And, they take on added color from North American customs of English and German origin.

In Indian areas, however, Christmas has blended with more primitive customs.

In Germany, St. Nicholas, or Nikolaus brings candies and nuts to the children on December 6th, while toys and more personal gifts are distributed to the kiddies on Christmas Eve by the Kristindl.

In England, children hang their stockings in front of the fireplace on Christmas Eve for Father Christmas to fill, and enjoy almost all of the same joyous customs that the young fry in the United States do.

Since the Christmas holiday, then, the joy and happiness of children around the world at Christmastime is the most fitting tribute to Him.

USDA Ends Frozen Beef Purchasing

The U. S. Department of Agriculture reports that with the December 11 purchase of 2,184,000 pounds of frozen ground beef and boneless roasts, supplies of frozen beef are now adequate to meet the needs of school lunch outlets through the 1964-65 year.

Since the beef purchase program began last March, USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service has bought 178.5 million pounds of frozen beef. Of this quantity, 1,633,000 pounds were bought in the Southeast.

The Agricultural Marketing Service says the total quantity of frozen beef distributed to

schools provides about 1.5 servings per child per week during the school year for the 17.9 million children taking part in school lunch programs.

USDA officials emphasized that the stabilizing effects of the frozen beef purchase program will continue for several weeks, with deliveries of the product continuing through late January. The supply-demand situation for fed beef is expected to be more nearly balanced by that time, USDA officials said.

The Agricultural Marketing Service said purchases of canned beef of USDA Cutler grade or higher will continue until further notice. Additional purchases of canned beef for distribution to needy families will provide a stabilizing effect at a time when cow marketings are continuing heavy.

Purchases of canned beef through December 11 totaled about 203.5 million pounds. Of this, 12,320,940 pounds have been bought from processors in the Southeast.

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4-H Program Stresses Balanced Diet

Six out of 10 teenage girls have poor diets. Four out of 10 boys have deficient diets.

Over 50 percent of the American boys and girls taking an international physical fitness test flunked it, compared to only 15 percent of the European boys and girls.

The 4-H Club foods-nutrition program is designed to combat poor diets. It teaches teenagers that the choice of food they eat plays a big part in controlling how they look, feel and react.

Added by county Extension Service agents and local club leaders, 4-H meal planners select menus on the basis of nutritional needs backed up by scientific facts.

The General Foods Corporation, sponsor of the program, again this year will award six \$500 college scholarships to national winners in the project during the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago Nov. 28 through Dec. 3.

State winners will receive expense paid trips to Congress

donated by General Foods. County winners receive gold filled medals.

4-H'ers who enroll in the program are urged to start with themselves to develop good nutritional habits.

Another phase of the project is to promote community awareness of good nutritional through window displays, posters and by speeches given over radio, television and to "live" audiences as well.

Wife (cooly) — A little bird told me you were going to buy me a new car for my birthday. Husband (behind his paper) — Well, it must have been a little cuckoo.

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SOUTH BAY AREA NEWS

PHONE REV. JAMES A. FENTON

996-2529 or 996-6008

Mrs. James Purcell of Nashville, Tennessee is visiting her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barnes for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sanders of Titusville announce the birth of a baby girl, Terri Lynn, was born at Jess Parrish Hospital in Titusville weighing 5 pounds and 5 ounces. Mrs. Sanders is the former Esther Leathlean daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Leathlean of South Bay.

Cpl. Clayton R. Smith has returned to Quantico, Virginia where he is stationed with the United States Marines. He spent approximately two weeks at home at which time he married Miss Linda Sue Hendricks of Pahokee. Mrs. Smith plans to join her husband in a few weeks.

Mrs. Jack Warren visited with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Minor, in Pahokee and also visited relatives in West Palm Beach along with shopping and business.

Billy Clifton of Miami is spending a couple days visiting Miss Sue Miller while on furlough from the United States Army.

Mr. W. C. Allen visited his daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Murray in Lantana on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. W. C. Allen was a Santa Claus at the Lion Club in Pahokee on Saturday evening when the Florida Highway Patrol had their annual Christmas party. The choir from the Glades Correctional Institution presented special music.

Mrs. Nancy White of McGee, Arkansas is spending several weeks with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Riley Foster on W. 2nd St. in Venice.

Mrs. R. A. Hall has returned to her home in Okechanta from Glades General Hospital where she spent nearly a week.

Mrs. Edwin Leathlean has returned to her home from Titusville where she spent a week with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Teale and children, Gail and Billy, left on Saturday to spend the holidays in Cullman, Alabama visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. James Martin and daughter Mrs. John Hill and son, Jeff

traveled to Avon Park and Sebring on Wednesday and visited with friends and relatives. Airman Billy Miller son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Miller of South Bay has returned to Colorado Springs after being on a 30-day furlough from the United States Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Jones and son Scottie traveled to West Palm Beach on Saturday on business.

Mrs. Louise Weathers of Clewiston visited her father, Mr. Billy Jeffries on Tuesday. Mrs. William Masonic spent the weekend Orlando with a friend from Bassinger.

Mrs. H. C. Willis attended the Home Demonstration Club Christmas Party held at the home of R. W. Kidder at 149 S. E. 5th Street North in Belle Glade on Thursday evening. Mrs. Betty Wolf a home De-

monstration Officer spoke on "Tension and How to Master Them."

Rev. and Mrs. James A. Fenton and children Kevin, Kim and Kelli traveled to Clearwater and Dunedin over the holidays and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Merle E. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. James Waughman and Mr. and Mrs. Luther West and family.

Mrs. Carlton Lane the former Miss Barbara Jean Willis is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meade Willis.

Gail Masonic is to graduate from Palm Beach Junior College in the first Mid-Term Graduation in the History of the School After graduation she plans to live in South Bay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Masonic.

Annual Christmas Party Enjoyed By South Bay Garden Club

The South Bay Garden Club met at home of the Meade Willis' on Friday night, December 18th for their Annual Christmas Party and exchange of gifts.

The South Bay Garden Club reported that they had donated 5 Dwarf Palms to the City of South Bay and they are now located in front of the City Hall and across the street in front of the Marlow Apartments. The club is proposing to donate more such palms to placed throughout the city.

It was reported that all of the decorations for the club were arranged throughout the city on the light poles and the Christmas tree in the triangle

at the intersection of U. S. 27 and Palm Beach Road.

Present at the meeting were: Mrs. H. C. Willis, President; Mrs. Meade Willis, Hostess; Mrs. Dick Miller, Mrs. Carl Crawford, Miss Harriette Edwards, Miss Myrtice Gillman and Mrs. Carlton Lane.

The characters and lives of men determine the peace, prosperity, and life of nations.

—Mary Baker Eddy

Peace is not absence of war, it is a virtue, a state of mind, a disposition for benevolence, confidence, justice. —Spinoza



In most cases, the customs, the names and Yuletide celebration dates across the world are not the same.

For example: SOUTH AMERICA because of its overall rainy weather and own particular customs celebrates Yuletide amidst clinking castanets and ringing bells. The most day for exchanging gifts is Epiphany.

MEXICO begins its Christmas the 16th of December with the posadas which means "inns," in remembrance of the Holy Family searching for a place to stay. Children then receive their gifts the 6th of January, which is Epiphany.

GERMANY commences its holiday festivities on St. Nicholas Day. Since Germany originated the Christmas Tree theme, ornately decorated trees play an important part.

THE ENGLISH Christmas holiday is much like ours. But gift-exchanging does not occur until Boxing Day, the 26th of December. This age-old tradition comes from feudal times when the lords filled up boxes with money and presented them to their servants. This kind "down under" — AUSTRALIA — because of its midsummer climate celebrates its Christmas outdoors; beach parties are common.

In JAPAN, Christmas is a grand affair since the nation adopted western secular traditions. You'll find St. Nick, uniquely decorated trees and gifts, but little or no meaning is given to the Christian religious aspect of this holiday.

TURKEY was born celebrates Christmas for three consecutive days and nights.

A hearty

wish that you'll

enjoy a jolly

Yuletide Season!



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IN SERVICE

HOMESTEAD, FLA. Airman First Class Ronnie L. Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Carter of South Bay, Fla., has graduated from the U. S. Air Force Noncommissioned Officer Preparatory School at McCoy AFB, Fla.

Airman Carter, who was trained in leadership and management, is an aircraft maintenance scheduler with a Strategic Air Command (SAC) unit at Homestead AFB, Fla. His squadron supports the SAC mission of keeping the nation's intercontinental missiles and jet bombers on constant alert.

The airman attended South Broward High School, Hollywood, Fla. His wife, Bettie, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Nagy of 3226 Arthur Terrace, Hollywood.

GOOD LOGIC

"I've worked here for eight years," an employee said to his boss, "and I've been doing the work of three men. I want a raise."

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Christmas Candles

For many, many centuries — brightly burning candles have been an important part of the Christmas observance. And, in days of yore — the bayberry candle held a mystic significance — it was believed that if the candles burned bright and clear throughout the Christmas season, then the coming year was sure to be lucky and happy.

Branches from bayberry trees dipped in wax were used instead of candles in Colonial days, when animal fat for making the candles was in short supply. Even when tallow candles were more plentiful, the bayberry candle remained as a traditional part of the Christmas observance in early days.

Drugs And Driving Don't Mix

"The driver who starts out on the road after taking drugs or tranquilizers is running the risk of a serious accident," warns Arthur M. Eisenhart, Jr., Regional Manager of the Allstate Motor Club.

On today's modern streets and highways the driver must be alert and able to react quickly. He can't do that if his senses are dulled by some form of tranquilizer.

"The drunk driver is a menace, but so is the driver who relies on pills to keep him alert. The drinking driver may know he is in no condition to drive

and may stay off the road. But the motorist who takes 'pep pills' is convinced they make him a better driver."

Certain drugs contained in "pep pills" can be habit forming. Such a drug is amphetamine, which affects the heart and nervous system. Gradually the user develops a reliance on the drug without realizing it.

On the road this drug causes hallucinations. Motorists using the drug have reported imaginary objects looming up in front of them or have thought they saw insects crawling across their windshield.

Mr. Eisenhart points out that "while conclusive tests on the effect tranquilizers have on drivers have not been completed, it is pretty well agreed that amphetamine, while alleviating sleepiness and fatigue, can dull a person's reflexes, bring on personality changes and even become habit forming."

Other dangerous drugs are chlorpromazine and reserpine, which are used to treat nervousness and high blood pressure. They can cause drowsiness and must be used with great caution while driving.

Persons who utilize anti-anxiety drugs to combat motion sickness should not drive following consumption of this drug unless they have learned from previous experience that they will not undergo sleepiness or dizzy spells.

"While some highly nervous persons might actually improve their driving slightly by using tranquilizers, these cases are rare and the driver who wants to make his holiday trip safe will not attempt to substitute a tranquilizer for adequate rest and sleep," warns Mr. Eisenhart.

USDA Enforces Marketing Agreements

Marketing agreements and orders, administered by the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Marketing Service, are designed to assure producers and consumers of orderly marketing conditions and, therefore, of stable prices and supplies.

Forty-three fruit, vegetable, and tree nut market agreements and orders in 23 states were administered in 1984.

Products handled under them have a farm value of more than \$14 billion a year, or 40 percent of the farm income from all the U. S. fruit and vegetables crops.

HERE and THERE..... During the Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Creech of Ft. Myers Beach came over early during the Christmas holidays to visit with their son and family the Dr. Robert Creeches, their daughter and family, the Charles Fontaines and other relatives including Miss Sara Lee Creech and the S. K. Smiths, Sr.

Knight from Vardell Hall, Red Springs, North Carolina are Miss Sherry Knight and Miss Becky Symes.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Haines and family left Monday to spend the holidays in Maryland with relatives.

Jim Ludlow, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ludlow, flew home last Thursday from St. Andrews Episcopal School for Boys, Seawane, Tenn. Also here for the holidays with the Ludlow family is Mrs. Ludlow's mother, Mrs. Margaret Sandison from Miami.

Miss Anna Roberts and Miss Robin Davis, both students at the Academy of the Holy Names in Tampa, are home for the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett S. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis. Mrs. Davis visited her parents and brought the girls back on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas and family left Wednesday to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays with Mrs. Thomas' parents in Alamo, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Forrest and children arrived here last Thursday night to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Rosie Forrest. They will leave Sunday to return to their home in Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams are visiting during the holidays with relatives in North Carolina.

Rev. and Mrs. O. A. Williams and family left Sunday to spend the holidays with relatives near Jackson, Mississippi. Rev. Williams is to be away for two weeks.

Home for the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam

HOW CHRISTMAS CAME INTO BEING

Our Holiday Season with its joyous feeling mixed with religious observance intrigues many as to its beginning. Of course there are many legends and interpretations concerning the origin of Christmas, its name, and why we celebrate it during December. Much time and study were given to establish a reasonable date and answers to give us the Christmas we now enjoy. The fourth century is as far as clerical researchers and lay scholars can go, into history, to pinpoint the observance of our traditional Christmas. However, the custom of a Christmas festival was already established dating back from previous eras.

The word Christmas began as "Christ's Mass" or from old English "Christes Masse" or the Mass of the Christ. And it was St. Cyril, bishop of Jerusalem, who strived to set up a universal day of observance from his regular spring celebration. The good bishop was granted permission by Pope Julius I to appoint leading theologians of the time to determine, as accurately as they could, the date of Christ's nativity. Having discovered many discrepancies and contradictions in astrological and astronomical calendars for the accurate celebration of Christ's Mass, the Church set the 25th of December for this joyous holiday.

So, since the year of 352 A.D. to this present day, the Saviour's birth has been observed. But, to this day, in some foreign countries, the festival of Christmas still occurs on many different dates. Members of the Orthodox religion, such as the Russian, Greek and Ukrainian commemorate Christmas on the 6th of January. In most European countries, December 6th is the day chosen to mark the beginning of the long and happy season.

Yule Log, Age-Old Good-Luck Symbol



The origin of the Yule Log goes back many centuries, far back into pagan times. In those early days lighting the Yule Log was part of the Winter Fire Festival. Because the weather was cold and snowy during the Winter Solstice, the ceremonies to celebrate the season were held indoors.

One of the more familiar and somewhat nostalgic scenes shown on traditional Christmas cards is a snow scene of a group of men with horses bringing home a freshly-cut log for the Christmas fireplace.

The Yule Log, lighting up the house with its bright and cheerful glow, long has been a part of Christmas festivities.

Although modern living has made this practice difficult, especially in our urban areas, custom is still followed in some U.S. rural areas and abroad.

With great ceremony and reverence, the Yule Log — most often from an oak tree — would be lighted with a fragment of the Yule Log of the past year. This was carefully preserved for the express purpose of lighting the Yule Log and continuing its mystic power.

Once the Yule Log was lighted, it was believed that its brilliant flames and warm glow would protect the house and family against all evils; for protection from fire, storm and from famine. They prayed then for thriving fields, for healthy cattle, for fertility and prosperity.

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Tips On Christmas Tree Care

(From the National Board of Fire Underwriters)

Gayly decorated Christmas trees will be lighted this year in 40,000,000 homes throughout the nation, and the National Board of Fire Underwriters has these suggestions for making your Christmas a fire-safe one:

• When you buy your Christmas tree this year, be sure you get a fresh one. When you go to a store or lot to select your tree, run your hand over the needles. If the tree is a fresh one, you will be able to brush the needles with your hand; they will remain firmly attached. If the needles drop off when you brush them, select another tree.

• When you get your tree home, keep it outdoors until you are ready to set it up and decorate it. It will keep fresh in cold air. You can help keep

the tree fresh by standing it in a pail of water.

• It's best to wait until just before Christmas before bringing the tree inside.

• The Christmas tree should be placed in the coolest part of the room. It should be kept away from radiators, heaters, and fireplaces. Putting the tree in a place away from heat will help keep it from drying.

• Preferably, you should use the type of Christmas tree which has a water container in which the trunk of the tree can rest. A fresh tree stays fresh by "drinking" water and a substantial amount of it. You should check the water and refill the metal container daily.

• When trimming your tree use only flame-proof decorations, preferably those which are made of glass, metal or fire-resistant material.

• Before hanging Christmas lights check the wires and sockets. If they have frayed wires, they should be discarded and new ones purchased. When you buy Christmas tree lights, be sure that they bear the UL label.

bel of Underwriters' Laboratories.

• The tree lights should be controlled by a switch; some distance from the tree. You should not attach the lights to a wall socket behind the tree unless a remote switch is used.

• If an electric train is set up as part of the Christmas display, the tracks should be located away from the tree. Toy trains frequently throw off sparks and sparks in the wrong place can be a source of fire.

• Christmas tree lights should be turned off at bed time and when you are away from home.

• Check the tree at frequent intervals for dryness. Check tree needles near lights, too. If the needles near a light have become dry and brittle, change the position of the light. When the tree dries out and the needles start falling, it should be taken down.

• Metal trees should never be decorated with Christmas lights, because of the danger of electric shock or a short circuit, says the National Board of Fire Underwriters. Use of the tree lighting to give a safe and attractive illumination.

• When Christmas gifts are opened, always pick up gift wrappings immediately. If you are planning to save some of the wrappings they should be folded and put away. Other paper, unwrapped boxes, ribbon and cord should be picked up and disposed of promptly.

• When you take your tree down, discard it outside, and continue to treat it as a fire hazard until removed.

Merry Christmas!



As we look upon memories of sound friendships, the first Christmas, home of friends and relatives, you may all enjoy the very best.

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EVERYBODY LOVES CHRISTMAS COOKIES FROM OLD TRADITIONAL RECIPES

Pfeffermuesse

1 lb. sugar
4 eggs
1 1/2 cups currants
1 1/2 cups walnuts
2 tsp. cinnamon
2 tsp. cloves
1 1/2 tsp. black pepper
1 tsp. nutmeg
3 tsp. baking powder
4 cups sifted flour
Roll into one-inch balls with hands. Bake on greased cookie sheet for 18 minutes at 350°.

Honig Kuchen

1 cup honey
1 cup sugar
2 tbs. orange juice
1 oz. each citron, orange, lemon peels
3/4 tsp. each cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, allspice
2 cups sifted flour
1/2 tsp. salt
2-3 cups almonds

Heat honey. Add sugar and juice. Grind peels, blanched almonds. Add to sugar. Add flour and other dry ingredients. Cover and chill 8 days. Roll thin and cut with floured cutter in heart shapes, topping with almond. Bake on greased sheets 8 to 10 minutes in 325° oven. Frost with mixture of confectioner's sugar, orange juice and grated rind. Store in airtight container two weeks.



Fattigmand

5 egg yolks
1 egg white
2 tablespoons sugar
1 1/4 cups flour
1/2 cup whipping cream
1/4 tsp. grated lemon rind
1/4 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 tsp. cardamom

Beat eggs and sugar together until well blended. Add whipped cream and lemon rind. Add sifted dry ingredients. Let stand overnight. Roll thin and cut in diamond shapes. Make slit in center of each and pull one corner through slit. Fry in hot fat until brown. Drain on absorbent paper. Dust with sugar.



May the spiritual glow of this glorious season remain with you and bless you through the coming year.

I. D. Walker and Sons

Water Tables Generally Good In FCD

Water conditions throughout the 18-county Flood Control District are generally good, the District Governing Board was advised.

Zeb Grant, operations director, reported that the level of water in Lake Okechobee stood at 14.44 feet (above mean sea level) as of December 1. This is a foot below the desired stage at this time of year, but the Lake level did not decline more than one inch during November.

Fresh water in two big FCD Conservation Areas—covering 431 square miles in Palm Beach and Broward Counties—was at or very near desired stages on December 1. Conservation Area 1 was reported two inches above the 17-foot regulatory stage. Area 2 was five inches below the 14 1/2-foot regulatory stage.

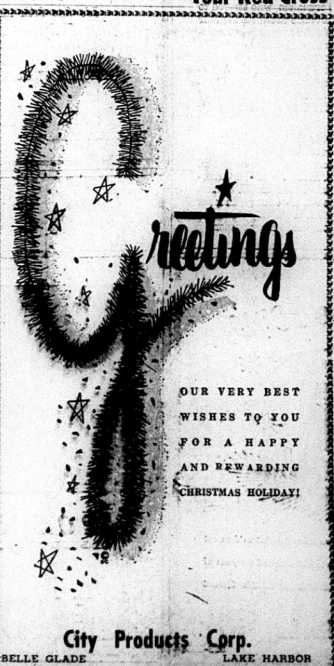
Stages in Conservation Area 3 (which covers 914 square miles in Dade and Broward Counties) averaged 2.32 feet above mean sea level on December 1. This is 13 inches below the desired regulatory stage, but one foot higher than the stage a year ago.

Along the lower east coastal area, rainfall of 3.03 inches (slightly above normal) was recorded at seven stations in November. Ground water levels generally decreased in November, but some areas remained above normal during the month.

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BILLY ROGERS FARMS

A Christmas Tribute To Teachers

Director, Teacher Education, Stetson University

The greatest compliment ever paid to any teacher in all time by anyone was that which a young man named John paid to his teacher when he said, "The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us — full of grace and truth."

Here was a teacher with a

power of communication never excelled. He had the ability to unveil the great mystery called life and put into unforgettable languages glimpses of the great realities. His parables have become the guidelines of our spiritual heritage. But, great as were His perception and power of description, there was something else which tran-

sceded His poignantly articulate word pictures. Not only did He focus the light of understanding in the minds of men but He stirred their innermost feelings and fused the link between what were their deep felt needs and the truth which could satisfy those needs.

Even so, this was not the attribute which most impressed those who knew the teacher best. Somehow the truths He taught were embodied in the works He wrought. Like a perfectly documented thesis, His teachings were validated and came alive in the total range of His interpersonal relationships. He urged compassion, understanding, courage and faith. He advocated caring and sharing, giving and serving. Then He became the personal demonstration of these qualities. He was what He taught, the personification of what He believed. When His students wanted to know the full meaning of

Today we are blessed by a growing company of dedicated teachers who belong to this noble succession, teachers who believe in the dignity and worth of human personality, teachers who are convinced that if the problems of living together in the modern world are ultimately to be solved, it will not be by the coercion of fear nor the compulsion of force but through empathic understanding and creative goodwill.

In the frenzied whirl of our swiftly moving, highly complex society there are many fearful souls who are baffled and bewildered as they scan the human horizon of modern man. They long for a better life. They interpret the ferment of social unrest, the flashes of racial distrust, the decline of morality and the aggression of hate mongers as evidence of a civilization that is decadent and dying. But is it not also true that seen in the perspective of man's potential dignity and worth these forces may be, indeed, the stirrings of a new order struggling to be born? With man's rapid accumulation of knowledge and his determination to explore and understand the unknown through the techniques of science, may we not be standing on the threshold of a breakthrough which could usher in an era of more adequate opportunities for all?

"I see America, not in the setting sun of a black night of despair ahead of us. I see America in the crimson light of a rising sun fresh from the burning creative hand of God. I see great days ahead, great days possible to men and women of vision and faith."

It was the vision of faith ushered in by that first Christmas which swung all history on its hinges, opening forever the portals of eternal light. It is the teachers of men who have the vision of life who keep alive humanity's highest hope.

At the Christmas season, as we commemorate the birth of the Great Teacher, let us honor the heroic teachers of the past & pay tribute to the thousands of dedicated teachers among us for they are the heralds of "Peace on earth, goodwill to men."



A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Each Christmas finds thousands of pilgrims from around the world making their way to the birthplace of Christ, and once again the many sacred spots in the Holy Land are thronged by the faithful.

In Bethlehem, pilgrims make it a point to visit the Church of the Nativity, believed to have been built on the site where the Saviour was born.

In Nazareth, they can see the little town where Jesus lived with Mary and Joseph.

The Garden of Gethsemane is the place where Jesus wept and prayed before his crucifixion and in Jerusalem, pilgrims may visit the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, traditionally the place where Christ was crucified and buried.

One of the greatest delusions in the world is the hope that the evils of this world can be cured by legislation.

— Thomas B. Reed

Fun For The Youngsters

Half the fun of Christmas for small-try is the joy of making things. The tree ornament most prized by the entire family is often the construction-paper chain the baby made!

Let your children stencil a green paper Christmas tree, affix it to a wall, and paste on it the cards they receive.

Or encourage them to draw a gigantic sock on ornamental wrapping paper. Mounted on cardboard and pasted to an open box, it holds pine boughs, bells, gift packages, Christmas ornaments and bows to make a very welcome decoration for the front door.

Several delightful afternoons can be passed in making a "gingerbread house" for the Christmas table centerpiece. First, fashion a hip-roof cottage of cardboard. (A deep box bottom is ideal for the four walls, a folded shirt cardboard for the roof. Tape triangular "gables" to two opposite box "walls".) Next, cover the entire structure with butter icing. Outline windows with gumdrops; make chimney of large round gumdrop notched to fit over ridge-pole. The roof can be shingled with overlapping chocolate nonpareils, and



an oblong cookie makes a marvelous door. Thick sugar syrup brushed on a flat cardboard and dusted with sparkling granulated sugar makes an ideal snowy "landscape" for your fairy-tale house. Ornamented evergreen shaped cookies make a fitting "forest."

A wire coat hanger, twisted into an interesting shape and brightened with gilt paint, makes a mobile when hung with gilded pine cones, paper angels, ornaments, and aluminum foil cut-outs.

Milk cartons minus tops make jumbo gift candles! Knot a lengthwise cord through the bottom, fill with melted paraffin, and let set, making sure cord remains tautly upright. Tear off cardboard, and the children can stud it with sequins or foil stars.

Make Yule Treats Tasty And Delicious

Christmas time is treat time, to prepare goodies of all descriptions. But make your Christmas confections suggest Miss Mary Todd, local Extension Home Economist. Here are some examples:

Uncooked dried fruits, served either plain, or stuffed, make a sweet treat. Rich in natural sugar, they satisfy the sweet tooth as well as provide vitamins and minerals.

Dates and prunes are stuffable. Filled with nuts, panache, peanut butter, marshmallows, fondant, or candied fruit peelings, they make a tasty treat. For an attractive platter, roll some in powdered or granulated sugar or in coconut. For added color, dip the coconut in food coloring before rolling the fruit in it.

Raisins also make a sweet treat. Serve either plain or speared for an ideal out-of-hand snack.

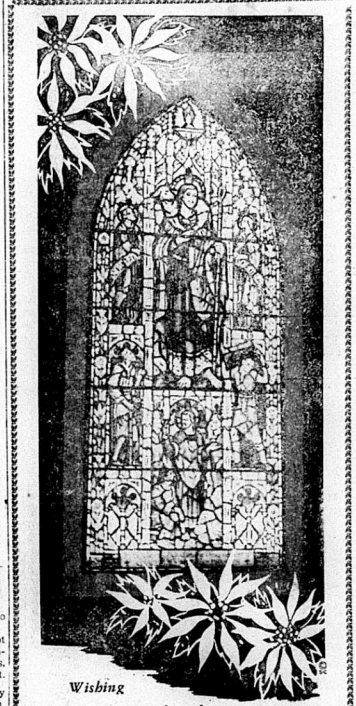
Figs too can become festive treats. Clip the stem ends from the processed fruit and press the cut end down. This forms a small patty with an indentation in the center. Press a half of any type of nut or a candied

cherry or marshmallow into center of each fig.

The fruits mentioned are not the only ones available, continues Miss Todd. Add apples, apricots and peaches to the list.

Use dried fruits in a variety of ways in the daily menu plan. For example, many can be added to hot cereals. Their natural sweetness is just right, and their distinctive flavor adds a great deal of interest to any breakfast.

Cookies, cakes, pies are other menu possibilities that use dried fruits.



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Government Spends \$1.8 Billion In 63

Expenditures in Florida by state and local governments combined reached \$1,783,700,000 during the fiscal year 1963, an increase of 16 per cent over the previous year compared with a national increase of 9 per cent, the Florida State Chamber of Commerce reported in its Weekly Business Review.

"The Florida state government spent \$606,600,000 of this amount and the \$1,177,100,000 balance was spent by governments below that level: county, municipal and district.

"Education is the most costly service of state and local governments, accounting in Florida last year for \$593,700,000 of the total from all sources.

Expenditures for highways amounted to \$319,700,000; for hospitals and health \$169,300,000; public welfare \$100,500,000; general government \$86,000,000; police protection \$73,200,000; interest on all debts \$79,900,000; fire protection \$28,400,000 and sewerage systems \$41,300,000. All of these categories showed considerable increases over 1962 except the amount spent for sewers which dropped 4 per cent.

"Included in the above amounts was a total of \$489,300,000 in capital improvements such as new schools, hospitals and highways.

"The balance of the total state-local expenditure of \$1,783,700,000 went for a variety of purposes, principally conservation of natural resources and publicly owned utilities.

"There are three sources of

these state-local funds in Florida. Taxes and other revenue brought in \$1,462,300,000; the federal government provided \$186,300,000 and the balance was borrowed for repayment by Floridians at a later date."

Nicholas, Beloved Saint of Children And Christmas

The "Santa Claus" of so many children in Europe is Saint Nicholas.

Saint Nicholas, reputed to be the hardest working Saint of all — was born in Petras, city in Asia Minor. His history tells of many great miracles, great deeds to help the poor and the needy.

He is patron saint to bankers, pawn-brokers, unmarried girls, children, mariners, scholars, and even thieves. He is said to have lived in the Third Century after the birth of Christ.

Over 600 years later, Saint Nicholas was adopted as the patron saint of old Russia and later by the Laplanders and Samoyeds. (From whom he probably acquired his sleigh and reindeer)

Saint Nicholas is also revered in Germany, France, Switzerland, Holland and Luxembourg — and it is in these countries that he appears traditionally riding his white horse, carrying gifts for good children and whipping rods for the bad ones. His gifts are bestowed on December 6th.

When the Dutch settled in the American colonies, they brought with them the tradition of Saint Nicholas or "Santeklas," as he was affectionately called.

From the tall, lean and spiritual looking character in long robes, he was gradually transformed into the image we know now.

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